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JAPANESE INTERVENE IN MANCHULI INCIDENT

ALLEGED CONFESSIONS BY BRITISH ACCUSED

ANOTHER WHITE PAPER

MENTAL APATHY OF THORNTON

MOSCOW AFFAIR

London, Apr. 11.
An astonishing story of
confessions extorted from
the British employees of
Metropolitan Vickers in
Moscow is contained in an-
other official White Paper on
the subject.

The White Paper consists of
the record of despatches from
Sir Esmond Ovey, the British Am-
bassador, and from Mr. Strang,
the Charge D'Affaires, from March 19
to April 4.

The despatches relate largely
to the interrogation of the accused
and show that they are charged
generally with espionage, collect-
ing information without authority,
wrecking work, and bribery.

ALLEGED CONFESSIONS.

They were often confronted with
the alleged confessions of their
fellow employees.

Mr. Alan Monkhouse, the
principal representative of the
firm in Russia, gained the impression
as a result of his examination
that no charge would be brought
against Metropolitan Vickers as
such, but that the charges were
similar to those brought against
Germany four years ago, namely,
that the arrested Metropolitan
Vickers employees in Russia also
certain of the Company's de-
signers and engineers in the
Manchester works, were
acting under instructions from
somebody who wished to hinder
industrial developments in the
U.S.S.R.

GREATLY DISTURBED.

Mr. Monkhouse, says Sir
Esmond Ovey, was greatly dis-
turbed when presented with Mr.
Thornton's apparent voluminous
"confessions."

Mr. Monkhouse suggested three
explanations of Thornton's "con-
fessions."

First, he may have written down
everything suggested to him by
the O.G.P.U. or the prosecutor
intending to deny it at the trial
(which is due to commence to-
morrow).

Secondly, he may have lost his
nerve.

Thirdly, he may have been in-
discreet in helping needy Russians.

MENTAL APATHY.

Sir Esmond Ovey had earlier re-
ported that Thornton appeared to
have lost his power of concentra-
tion, and had been reduced to
mental apathy.

Mr. Strang, after a conference
with Thornton on April 4, reported
that Thornton was worn out. He
had been continuously interrogated
since his arrest, once for twenty-
one hours without interruption.

CONFESSION REPUDIATED.

Thornton admitted giving small
presents for obtaining information
on behalf of the Company, but
totally denied the other charges
and repudiated the confession
shown to Mr. Nordwall.

The despatch states that
the O.G.P.U. tried unsuccessfully
the whole time to make
Thornton confess that he was
working for the Intelligence
Service and that he was
obtaining funds for his ac-
tivities from the British
Consulate.

Mr. MacDonald, whose examina-
tion had not been completed
during the period covered by the
White Paper, was unable to speak
about it to the Embassy officials.

Mr. Strang reported on April 4
that Mr. Thornton was astounded
at what occurred upon his con-
frontation with Mr. MacDonald.

He totally denied Mr. Mac-
Donald's statement that he gave
MacDonald 4,600 roubles for spying

FASCIST POWERS TALK IN ROME

FRENCH NOTE ON THE FOUR-POWER PLAN

Rome, Apr. 10.
Captain von Papen had an in-
terview today with Signor Mus-
solini, who sees Captain Goering
tomorrow.
Signor Mussolini also saw the
French Ambassador, who, it is
understood, presented the Italian
Premier with a memorandum on
the Four-Power Plan.—*Reuter.*

CHINA'S RAILWAYS

M.P.'S PROPOSAL REJECTED

MAKING POSITION WORSE

London, Apr. 10.

Chinese railway purchases
in England were the subject
of questions in the House of
Commons to-day.

Mr. J. S. Wardlaw Milne asked
whether Sir John Simon was pre-
pared to make representations to
the Chinese Government in favour
of restricting advances to the
Chinese railways out of the Boxer
Indemnity Fund, British share, to
such railways as had made definite
arrangements for the liquidation of
past loans.

Sir John Simon pointed out that
the rehabilitation and completion
of the existing railways would tend
to increase the revenue of such rail-
ways and thus improve the position
of the bondholders of loans already
secured on these railways.

UNSOUND POLICY.

On the other hand, the policy
suggested by Mr. Wardlaw Milne
might have the contrary effect
through making it impossible for
a particular railway to receive an
advance for revenue producing ex-
penditure without which the re-
venues might still continue to be
insufficient to meet normal expendi-
ture.—*Reuter.*

THE "FREE CITY" OF DANZIG

NAZIS SEEKING TO EXTEND GRIP

Danzig, Apr. 11.

Keen to extend the grip of the
Nazis to the Free City of Danzig,
the local Nazis have decided to
demand the dissolution of the
Volksrat.

It is expected that the resolu-
tion to dissolve will be adopted
at its next meeting on April 13,
and that a general election will
be called for six weeks' time.

The Danzig Government has
hitherto been based on a coalition
between the Centre, the Catho-
lics and the German Nationalists
though recently these have been
in a minority in the Volksrat.—*Reuter.*

services and that he received from
MacDonald information about the
number and calibre of shells and
electrical mobilisation plans.

MacDonald was embarrass-
ed by Thornton's astonish-
ment, whereupon Thornton
was made to sit with his back
to MacDonald.

EXTORTED.

Sir Esmond Ovey points out in
the course of the White Paper that
the alleged evidence on the subject
can only come from the confessions
extorted from the prisoners under
conditions which one can only pre-
sume were at least as trying as
those to which Mr. Monkhouse was
subjected.—*Reuter.*

REVIVAL OF SILVER

TALKS PROCEEDING IN WASHINGTON

NO DECISION

Washington, Apr. 10.
Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of
State, confirmed the belief that
the silver question was the
principal topic in his discussion
with Sir Ronald Lindsay, the
British Ambassador to-day.

Mr. Hull emphasised that no de-
cision was reached as a result
of the conversations.
The talks are to be continued
next week regardless of the com-
ing visit of Mr. Ramsay Mac-
Donald.

Mr. Hull also stated that there
had been no discussion regarding
the extension of an invitation for
an Indian Government representa-
tive to participate in the discus-
sions.

It is learned from Ottawa that
Mr. R. B. Bennett has accepted
President Roosevelt's invitation to
Washington, though he told the
House of Commons that the date
of his visit was uncertain. He
would choose a time suitable to
President Roosevelt.—*Reuter.*

PREMIER'S VISIT TO U.S.A.

NO LIMIT TO THE DISCUSSIONS

London, Apr. 10.

The Prime Minister to-day in-
formed the House of Commons
that he hoped to leave England
for America on 15th April and to
arrive back on 3rd May.

He intended to set no limit to
the subjects which may be men-
tioned in the course of conversa-
tions between the United States
President and himself. The object
of the visit was not to negotiate
and fix agreements, but to dis-
cuss questions with which both of
them were "confronted."—*British
Wireless.*

FRENCH LADY FLIER

LEAVING HANOI TO-MORROW

Mlle. Maryse Hiltz, the French
aviatrix who is on a flight from
Paris to Tokyo, is, according to
advice received by the French
Consul, leaving Hanoi to-morrow
morning.

It is the airwoman's intention to
fly direct to Swatow, and thence
to Shanghai. She will, therefore,
be unlikely to touch Hongkong,
unless weather conditions make
the direct hop to Swatow impos-
sible.

THE AUSTRALIA AIR ROUTE

PORTUGAL & HOLLAND CO-OPERATE

London, Apr. 10.

Sir John Simon stated the
House of Commons that the Por-
tuguese Government have agreed to
permit all facilities for a pre-
liminary survey of the London-
Australia air route, and the
Netherlands Government have re-
quested their East Indies Govern-
ment to grant similar facilities.—*British
Wireless.*

AUSTRALIA FLIGHT

MISS JEAN BATTEN REACHES ATHENS

Athens, April 10.

Miss Jean Batten, the New
Zealand girl who is flying to
Australia, arrived here to-day
from Naples.—*Reuter.*

Threat of Another Russo-Japanese War



Renewed talk of the possibility of war between Russia and Japan
gives interest to these pictures, showing a huge tractor drawn gun and
a detachment of Russian cavalry, which remains the flower of the Red
Army.

RUSSIA CUTS ALL CONNEXIONS

JAPANESE ATTACK ON MR. RUDY

TENSE SITUATION

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH").

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HARBIN, APRIL 11.

A GRAVE DISPUTE AT MANCHULI YESTER-
DAY, WHEN JAPANESE MILITARY COMPELLED
THE DEPARTURE OF A TRAIN FOR HARBIN,
THREATENS AN OPEN BREACH BETWEEN THE
SOVIET AND JAPAN AND THERE IS OPEN TALK
OF WAR.

This possibility of the railway dispute, ostensibly
between Manchukuo and Russia, leading to another
Russo-Japanese war is stressed in a strongly-worded
article in the Japanese-owned *Harbin Times*, which de-
mands that Moscow order the dismissal of Mr. Rudy,
the General Manager of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

The journal accuses Mr. Rudy of the "theft" of roll-
ing-stock and also alleges that Mr. Rudy is "endeavour-
ing to push Japan and the Soviet into conflict."

The *Harbin Times* adds: "If
Moscow desires peace with Japan,
the same as Japan does with the
Soviet, then the Russian
authorities must dismiss Mr. Rudy,
who is endeavouring to frustrate
all possibility of friendship be-
tween the two countries."

"THEFT OF STOCK"

It says that the Soviet C.E.R.
officials have carried into Russia
seventy-five locomotives, 739 pas-
senger coaches and about 4,000
goods wagons belonging to the
Chinese Eastern Railway, while
General Su Ping-wen took 27
locomotives and 250 passenger
coaches which have not been re-
turned.—*Reuter.*

MANCHULI INCIDENT.

Harbin, Apr. 11.
The grave potentialities of the
railway dispute are borne out by
the tense incident at Manchuli
yesterday.

The local railway officials, acting
upon instructions from Mr. Rudy,
the Russian general manager, re-
fused to despatch the connecting
train to Harbin after the arrival
of the Siberian express.

MILITARY COMPULSION.

Finally, the train steamed out,
but it did so only after the Ja-
panese military had threatened to
maintain the service themselves
by using their own crews.

With the two systems also dis-
connected at Pogranichnaya, no
trains are now able to enter or to
leave Manchuria.—*Reuter.*

A moderate anticyclone is cen-
tered to the north of the Lower
Yangtze. Moderate to fresh mon-
soon will prevail over the China
coast and the Northern China Sea.
Local forecast:—N.E. winds, fresh;
cloudy.

AIR RECORD BROKEN

ITALIAN FLIGHT AT 424 M.P.H.

BRITISH TIME BETTERED

Rome, Apr. 10.

It is officially confirmed that
Italy has recaptured the world
air speed record, wrested from
them in 1927 by Flight-Lieutenant
Webster in the Schneider Trophy
Race of that year.

When Italy last held the world
air speed record, it was estab-
lished at 246.43 miles an hour,
the successful pilot being Lieut.
Colonel de Bernardi, who has just
accepted appointment as com-
mander of the Chinese Air Force.
The new record established a
speed of about 424 miles an hour.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

The official communique issued
by the Italian Air Ministry states
that Warrant Officer Angelo to-
day broke the world air speed
record, flying five times over a
measured straight course at an
average speed of 682.403 kilo-
metres an hour (approximately
424 miles an hour).

The speed on one of the flights
reached 692.529 kilometres an
hour (approximately 430 miles an
hour).

The record which has been
broken is that established by
Flight-Lieutenant Stainforth, who
averaged 408.8 miles an hour and
who achieved a speed of 416.2
miles an hour on one of his
bursts across the measured mile.
—*Reuter.*

BRITISH ARRESTS IN GERMANY

HIGH TREASON ACTS ALLEGED

London, Apr. 10.

Answering questions in the House
of Commons regarding the recent
arrest of two Englishmen in Ger-
many, Sir John Simon said the Bri-
tish Consul in Berlin had been in-
formed by the police authorities
that Mr. Fraser was charged with
having committed "acts in prepara-
tion for high treason", and was to
be transferred to Moabit Prison to
await trial.

The British Ambassador had
asked the German Foreign Minister
for early and more precise infor-
mation regarding the case.—*British
Wireless.*

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

FOUR HOME TEAMS SUCCESSFUL

London, Apr. 10.

Four English and Scottish
League matches were played to-
day, resulting in home victories in
each case.

Northampton, entertaining Car-
diff City in the Third Division
(South) won by two goals to nil.
Tranmere, at home to Mansfield
in the Northern Section, won by
three goals to nil.

In the Scottish League, Queen's
Park defeated Hamilton. Academ-
icals by the only goal scored, while
Glasgow Celtic captured both points
from Clyde, winning 2-1.—*Reuter.*

London, Apr. 10.

A further meeting with the
Argentine Trade Mission took
place at the Board of Trade to-
day.

It is expected that a satis-
factory agreement between the
British Government and the
Mission will be reached very soon.
—*British Wireless.*

SHORT TIME IN COTTON MILLS

OVER-PRODUCTION IN SHANGHAI

(Special to "Telegraph")

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11, 1.20 a.m.)

Shanghai, Apr. 11.
Chinese cotton mill owners, at
a meeting representing over two
million spindles, unanimously de-
cided to reduce working hours by
twenty-three per cent. for one
month from April 22 owing to
overproduction.—*Reuter.*

BOYCOTT OF GERMANY

JEWISH ACTIVITY IN LONDON

POLICE AND POSTER AGITATION

London, Apr. 10.

In the House of Commons, the
Home Secretary, Sir John Gil-
mour, explained that the Lon-
don police, as a measure of pre-
caution against breaches of the
peace, had advised the removal
of posters advocating the boy-
cotting of Germany and German
goods.

Further questioned, he said
Jews might exhibit posters if they
chose to do so, but he was sure
the House would agree that it was
undesirable that members of the
public should at present take any
action liable to inflame feeling.
It was certainly the intention of
the Government to allow all reasonable
expression of free opinion in this
country on the matter.

SILESIA ISSUE.

Sir John Simon was asked
whether action to protect the
Jewish minority in Upper Silesia
was to be taken by the League of
Nations under Article 11 of the
Covenant, and whether the Jewish
minority was not guaranteed full
equality under the German-Polish
Convention of 1922.

He said the League Council had
laid it down that procedure under
Article 11 should not normally be
employed in cases relating to pro-
tection of minorities under the
treaties, and "should only be
invoked in grave cases which
produce a feeling that facts exist
which might effectively menace
the maintenance of peace between
nations."

DOUBTFUL POINT.

It was doubtful, therefore,
whether Article 11 could be pro-
perly invoked in the case of the
Jewish minority in Upper Silesia.

Regarding the German-Polish
Convention, he was not aware that
any appeal had been made to the
Council on the ground that the
Jewish minority had been de-
prived of the rights secured to it
under that Convention.

Replying to further questions,
Sir John Simon said the whole
subject of the position of Jews
in Germany was receiving a great
deal of public attention, and he
was himself making inquiries.—*British
Wireless.*

GERMAN LOAN REPAYMENT

FRANCE'S SHARE LIQUIDATED

Berlin, April 10.

In conformity with the policy
laid down by Dr. Schacht, the new
President of the Reichsbank, the
Reichsbank has repaid £817,500,
000 to the Bank of France, being
France's share of the seventy
millions still outstanding of the
hundred million dollars re-dis-
count credit advanced in July,
1931 in equal proportions by the
Bank of England, the Bank of
France, the Federal Reserve Bank
and the Bank of International
Settlements.—*Reuter.*

LOVE or MONEY?

BY H. W. CORLEY

CHAPTER I

The alarm whirled—as alarms, carefully set and wound, have a way of doing—whirled and strangled through the dark 67th street flat, reverberated in the areaway, punctuated by a slamming of windows and the sound of voices.

"Aw, turn that alarm off, will ya?"

"Hey, you Moran—I!"

"It's the redhead. But don't get up this early!"

Seven-thirty. . . And Mona (nee Minnie) Moran stirred, nestled cozily for a moment, then lifted a slender arm from the coverlet and snapped off the shrill noise. She turned over again, placed a palm beneath her cheek and closed her eyes.

Mona long ago had decided that the last half hour of sleep caught this way—stolen really from the workaday world—was the most delicious. Thirty more, drowsy minutes to reflect on this and that or to forget it all in the relaxation of another nap.

Mona had problems. What girl as young and lovely as Mona does not have—even when she is not, as Mona assuredly was—the support of her family? There were five in that family, counting Dad in the hospital and Bud, the elder brother, away from home when he had a job and back home when he broke.

Seven-forty. Seven-fifty. Seven-fifty-five.

Then, as if another alarm had sounded, Mona stirred again. She patted a dainty yawn with the back of her rose-tipped hand, glanced at the sleeping Kitty beside her—Kitty's slim little girliness occupying more than half the narrow bed—and slid out carefully.

Mona stretched her arms again and took indifferent stock of herself in the mirror. She had become used to the pleasant report that mirror gave.

There were those who wondered why, with such a figure, such creamy skin, such gray-green eyes and miraculous bronze hair, Mona had not followed her first job as errand girl and later model at Pilgrim's with a stage affiliation.

It was true that Mona had had several such offers but she had

rejected them all. To marry a stage electrician (more chorus girls did you know, than landed millionaires) had no part in Mona Moran's plans.

So she had taken a job as receptionist for the exclusive law firm of Garretson, Lawton and Amesbury.

"I see people here," Mona confided to her friend, Lottie Carr. "I get to know them without parading half dressed behind the footlights. I learn to walk, to talk, to dress and how to act."

Lottie, tall, blond and languorous, was a model at Pilgrim's.

"That Carr girl is no better than she should be," Ma would declare after one of Lottie's visits to the Moran home. "Perfume, \$20 an ounce! Handkerchiefs, \$20 a dozen or I'm a liar. No good working girl."

"Oh, she's all right, Mother!" Mona would protest. "It's just that—that Lottie—" She would break off here for Mona could hardly finish as she had intended. "It's just that Lottie has no family to support." Ma would be hurt—and rightly—at that.

"Well," Ma would weaken, "I don't want that girl calling up the house. I don't want you going out with her. My daughters are good girls!"

Mona was, and indeed, for that matter, so was Lottie. Mrs. Moran might have had the useful support of many rebuffed young men as to that.

Lottie, frivolous, gay, attractive in the costumes her position as model afforded her, would beg Mona to join her on frequent parties with that collection of young clubmen to whom Lottie referred as "the gang."

"Sometimes, Lottie. But don't count on me for many of these affairs. I need my sleep. I have to work."

"Go to bed and never meet any nice people!" Lottie amended here. "You might get yourself a husband if you'd step out more. Ever think of that?"

Mona shook her head. "Yes, I think of it. But you don't get them that way. I know my onions."

And Lottie had rejoined slyly—

scantly, recalling the malodorous 67th street flat, "I'll say you do! But do you know the artichokes?"

As it happened Mona was not acquainted—then—with artichokes. Her answer was a shrug.

Mona knew that, for some time at least, she could not think of marrying. It was out of the question. Not with Bud acting as he did, in and out of a job, absent for days on end, home idling, begging small sums for carfare, cigarettes.

Not with her father in the hospital. Mona couldn't go to a husband saddled with these family cares.

Her father, Mona's patient, kindly, hard-working father, stricken suddenly with that obscure, powerful malady which no doctor named definitely, of which no doctor would predict the outcome!

The Morans had lived in the same flat for years, protesting against the gradual raise in rents after the subway was opened. In the apartment house Terrence Moran had been something of a figure, his kindly philosophy sought at all times.

His stoking-foot high on the window sill, his eyes twinkling over his newspaper which he read with laboriously moving lips, Dad, in his way, influenced the entire neighborhood. They came to him for advice in matters of courtship and weddings, for condolence at the time of death, for encouragement in illness.

Yes, Mona certainly owed it to Dad to stick by the family and not to think of marriage until—Until what? Mona's thoughts could get no further with the problem but Lottie's could—and did.

"Marry a man who'll take care of your family for you," was Lottie's plan.

Such men are few and far between. So are girls like Mona, with trim figures, glowing bronze hair, best of all an angelic disposition.

From eight o'clock, when Ma gently knocked on Mona's door to

supplement the alarm, until eight-fifteen the dark, tiny little gas-lit bathroom down the hall was Mona's sole property. Ma knew it. Kitty knew it. Even Bud—the overlord of the radio, the easiest chair, and the newspaper—acquiesced.

There was orange juice—for breakfast, scrambled eggs and golden toast liberally buttered. The delicious scent of coffee had been filling the halls for half an hour. Ma poured a steaming cup and set it beside Mona's plate.

In a clean print house gown, Mrs. Moran was taking her comfortable way between table and stove, chatting busily, neither waiting for nor expecting response. She announced that Kitty's marks at school were better this month. "You see Min what a little interest in them teachers does for a child?"

For Ma swathed in her best black, had bustled over to have a talk with Kitty's principal.

Mona smiled. She knew that most likely Miss Preston, with hundreds of children to deal with, did not know Kitty Moran by sight.

Mrs. Callahan had new linoleum for the kitchen. About time Joe did something for his mother except bring his girl in for dinner every Sunday. The Donahue twins were teething. The Caseys were going to have one of them new French telephones.

If Min would leave her silk underwear out on a chair Ma would rub it out and press it. There was no sense to Min's tiring herself out at night after work.

"It's your day to visit your father anyhow," Ma observed somewhat unnecessarily. Mona was as likely to forget to go to the office as to the hospital on visiting night.

"Tell him I'll be over Sunday," Ma went on. She always said that. "I'll roast him a chicken. Kitty can go up to Alice's—"

As Ma always cooked something for her husband, and as Kitty always spent Sunday with Alice, this required no particular response. Alice was Mona's elder sister, married these two years, and much against Ma's wishes. However, after the deed had been done Ma was the first to give Alice

her support. Most of the baby's finery had been bought by Ma from dimes and quarters saved painstakingly out of the house-keeping money. Mona suspected that Ma's movie money found its way into the same fund.

It had been Alice's rather unfortunate marriage which had set Mona against marrying a poor man. Her sister, once so smart-looking, skipping off to work every morning, so proud of her ability, to help with the family expenses, was now, after two years of married life, a changed being.

Dressed sloppily in house dresses, her hair straggling about her neck, her face guileless of colour and her skin unpowdered, Alice struggled half-heartedly through her day's work in a badly furnished, rather malodorous little flat.

There were always, no matter at what time of day one might call, dishes soaking in the sink, babies' clothes graping the radiator, something stewing on the stove and a broom to be stumbled over in the dark hallway.

The baby was always ailing, always whimpering in apologetic little moans. Jim, the rather disillusioned young husband, usually sought a pool room after the casual, badly-cooked meal Alice would set out for him. Mona could hardly blame him. It was amazing that this drab, uninterested, unkempt little creature could be the gay, chic Alice who had gone off so confidently to marry Jim.

Whose fault was it that their marriage had turned out so badly? Nobody's, probably. Just the pressure of circumstances.

"Where'd you get the orange juice?" remarked Bud. It was an unprecedented extravagance in the Moran household.

"Mr. Hart stopped to talk to one of the marketmen in Washington street, Mother. You know they get there late at night and wait until morning when the hotel people buy. Well, then Mr. Hart wanted to buy something too. The crate was right there and he couldn't take it home very well."

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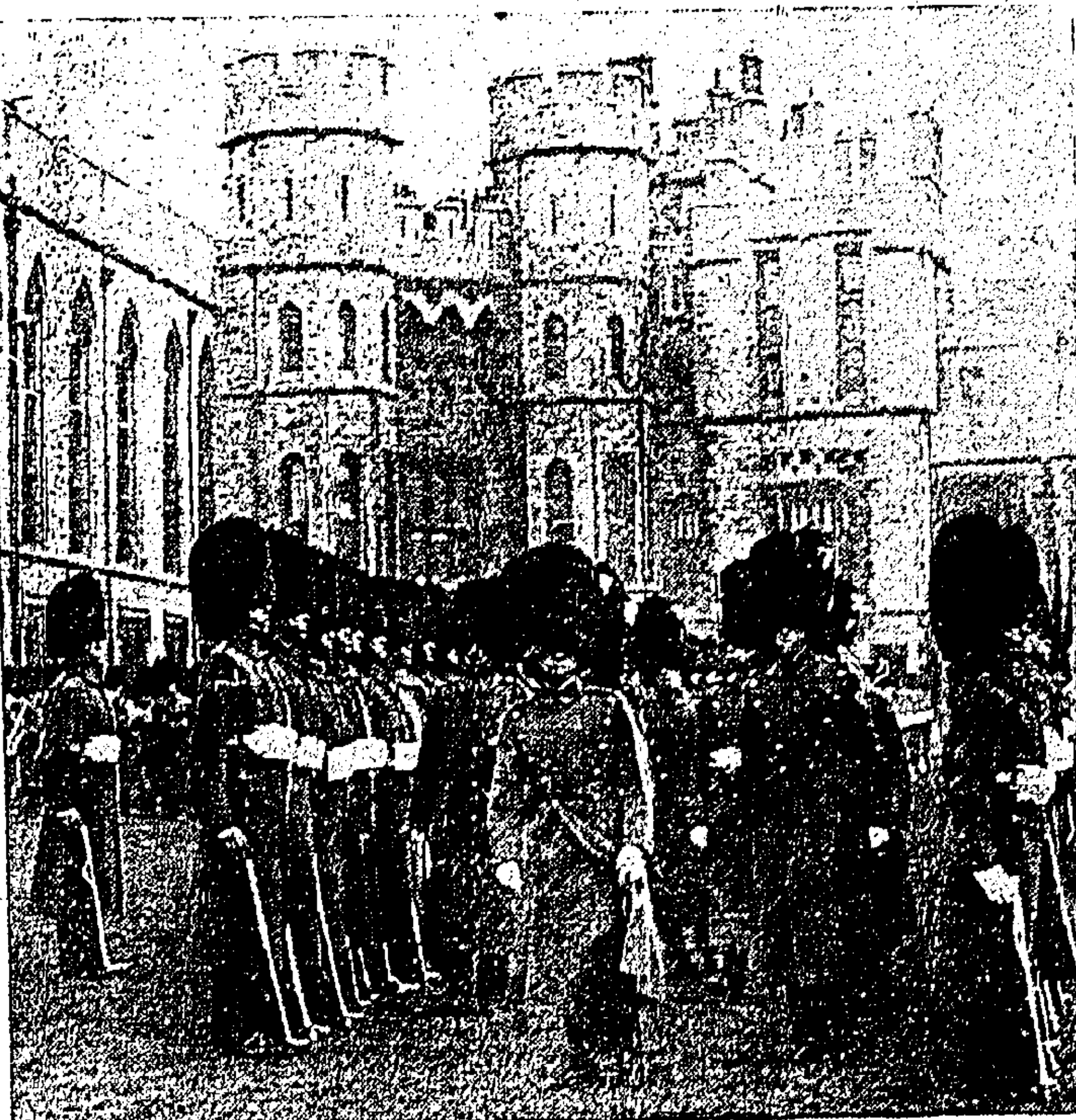
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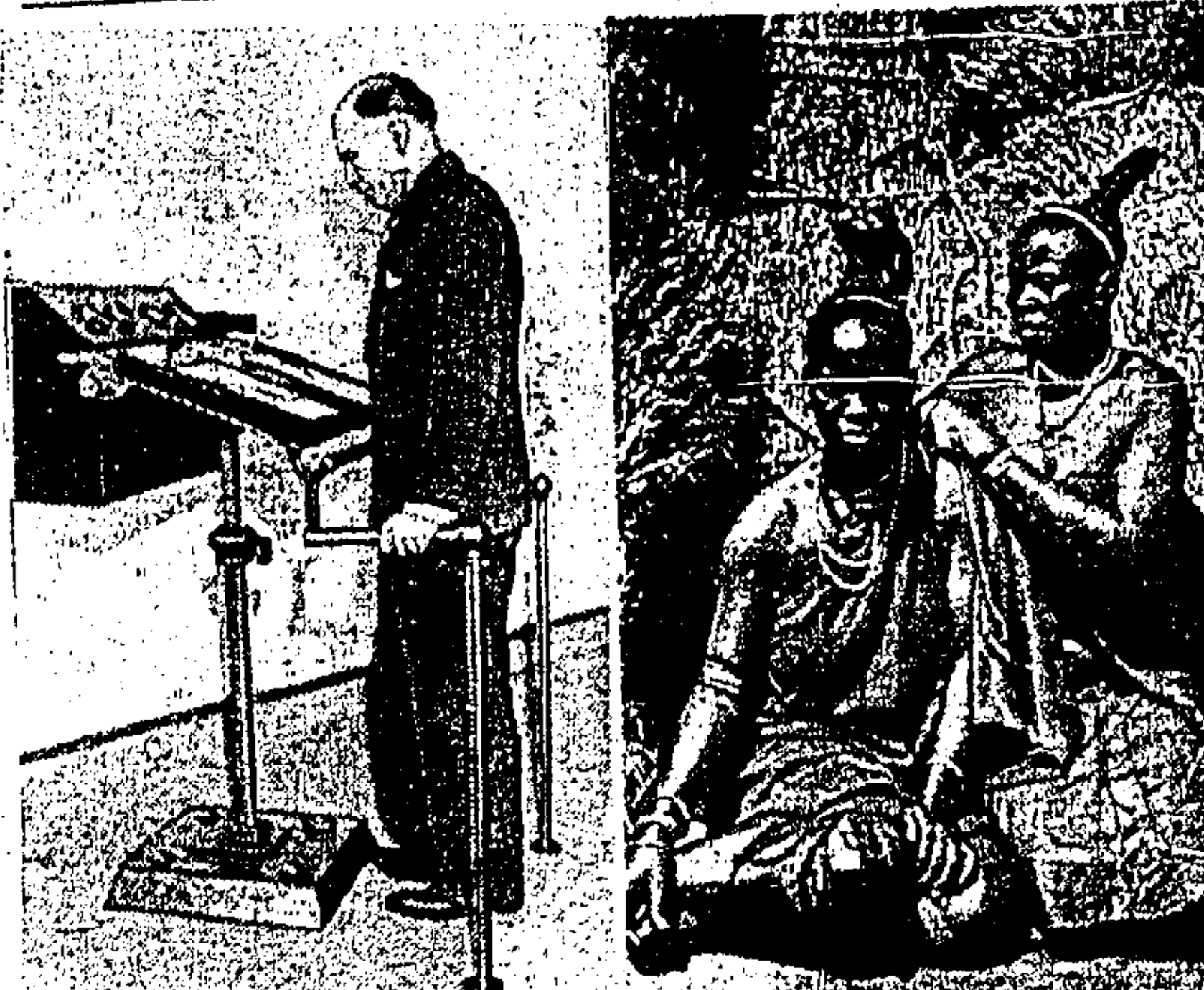
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Cars splashing their way along the Kingston by-pass road during the widespread flooding accompanying the thaw after the great blizzard in England. (Photo: Planet News).



The Prince of Wales, Honorary Colonel of the Welsh Guards, inspecting the 1st Battalion in the quadrangle of Windsor Castle. (Photo: Planet News).



Specially constructed for President Roosevelt, this "tribune" has been presented by a well-known wireless company. The front is covered with shot-proof steel.

Wives are cheaper in South Africa as a result of the world depression. They can now be bought for about £3. Photo shows two Zulu women endeavouring to increase their value.



King Alexander of Yugo Slavia at the opening of a memorial school at Orashko, on the site of the meeting of the Serbian Council at which it was decided to declare war on the Turks 123 years ago. Photo shows the King kissing a Cross held by Bishop Tihon during the ceremony. (Planet News).

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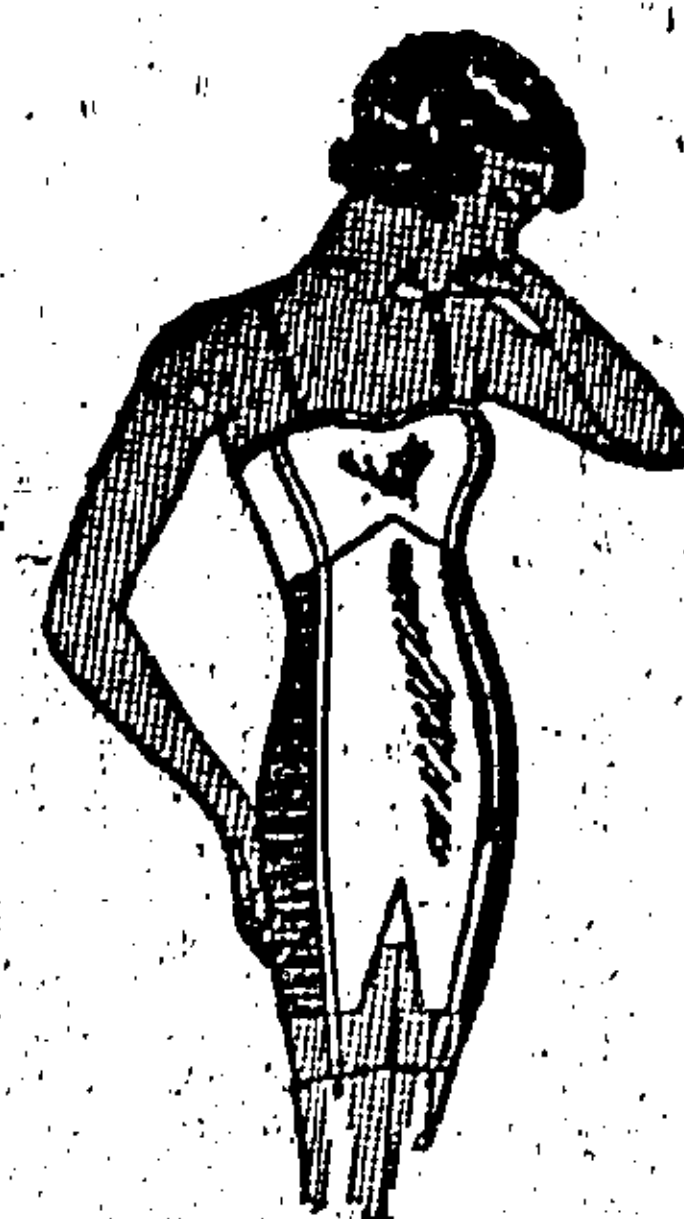
GIRDLES,
UNDERWEAR.

—A BIGGER AND
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Harlan Burns
George Walsh
Directed by
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

The offices and stations of the Chinese Maritime Customs for Kowloon and District will be closed to public business on the 14th April, 1933, being a Customs holiday.

E. N. ENSOR,
Commissioner of Chinese Customs,
Kowloon and District.
York Building,
Hongkong, 10th April, 1933.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, P. & O. Building on Wednesday, April 19th, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1932.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 14th April to 19th April, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, 8th April, 1933.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 4th ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the offices of the Company, Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 13th April, 1933, to Tuesday, the 25th April, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

ALLAN KEITH,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 4th April, 1933.

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

On and after the 6th April, 1933, Mr. P. PAYRAS will take charge of this Company's Local Agency.

R. OHL,
Agent.

NOTICE.

We beg to announce that we have this day appointed Mr. Ernest Harry Hamilton Higham-A.R.I.B.A., B. Arch-Liverpool to be manager of our Hongkong Office. Mr. Higham will sign our firm "per procuration."

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COTTON & WHEAT

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat exchange for yesterday.

Cotton		
	Opening Range	Closing Range
May	6.54-6.55	6.53-6.54
July	6.70-6.70	6.69-6.70
October	6.92-6.92	6.91-6.92
December	7.05-7.05	7.05-7.06
January	7.12-7.12	7.12-7.12
March	7.24-7.24	7.25-7.25
Spot		6.60
Wheat		
	Chicago	Winnipeg
May	58 1/2	51 1/2
July	59	52 1/2
September	60 1/4	
October		54 1/4

PALACE TREASURES

SAID TO BE IN HANDS OF
CHANG HSUEH-LIANG

Shanghai, Apr. 9.
Mr. Chang Chi, a prominent member of the C.E.C., has wired Mr. Wu teh-chen alleging that some of the priceless engravings and paintings belonging to the Summer Palace are now in the hands of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang who, he appeals, should be requested to return these treasures before leaving for Europe next week.—Reuter.



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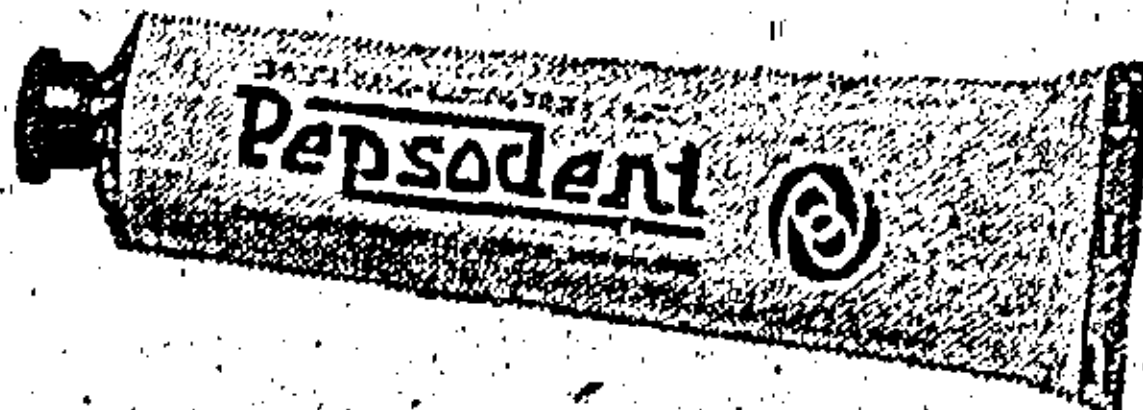
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SAIGON-MARSEILLES AIR MAIL SERVICE.

Letters (Ordinary and registered but not insured), Postcards, and "Autre objets" (Commercial papers, Printed papers and Samples) will be accepted for transmission by this Service. Rates and conditions are shown in the schedules exhibited at the G. P. O. and Kowloon Office.

THE AIR MAIL SERVICE from SAIGON to EUROPE is weekly. The HONGKONG-SAIGON connection will be maintained by the regular fortnightly sailing of the FRENCH mail steamers and on alternate weeks by any available steamers that can make the connexion at SAIGON.

Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service" and handed in at the G. P. O. or Kowloon Post Office.

RADIOTELEGRAMS.

The rate for Urgent Telegrams to all places except China will be reduced from treble to double the ordinary rate as from 1st April, 1933.

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	April 12.
Europe via Nagasaki (Letters only) London, 20th March	Lyon	April 12.
Straits	Agamemnon	April 13.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	April 13.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	April 14.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 25th March)	Empress of Japan	April 14.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 17th March)	Pres. Monroe	April 14.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakodate Maru	April 14.
Japan	Morika Maru	April 14.
Japan and Shanghai	Tsutsu Maru	April 14.
Europe via Nagasaki (Papers only) London, 16th March	Kashima Maru	April 15.
Japan	Lima Maru	April 15.
Japan and Shanghai	General Sherman	April 16.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 24th March)	Pres. Coolidge	April 17.
Cebu and Straits	Kutsang	April 17.
London	Parcels only London, 9th March	
Japan	Sudan	April 17.
Japan	Bokuyo Maru	April 18.
Japan	Santhin	April 18.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Tuesday.		
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Chenonceaux	Tues, April 11.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., April 11, Noon	Reg., April 11, 12.30 p.m.	
Letters, April 11, Noon	Letters, April 11, 1 p.m.	
Saigon and "Europe via Marseilles Chenonceaux" (Due Marseilles, 13th May.)	Tues, April 11.	
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., April 11, 1 p.m.	Reg., April 11, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters, April 11, 1 p.m.	Letters, April 11, 2.30 p.m.	
Straits and "Europe via Marseilles Chenonceaux" (Due Marseilles, 13th May.)	Tues, April 11.	
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., April 11, 1 p.m.	Reg., April 11, 1.15 p.m.	
Letters, April 11, 1 p.m.	Letters, April 11, 2 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A.	Athos II., Tues, Apr. 11, 2 p.m.	
*Canada, C. and S. America and "Europe via San Francisco and "Europe via Siberia"	Pres. McKinley, Sat, Apr. 11, 3 p.m.	
	Parcels, Apr. 11, 3 p.m.	
	Reg., Apr. 11, 4.15 p.m.	
	Letters, Apr. 11, 5 p.m.	
	(Due San Francisco, 2nd May.)	
Swatow and Bangkok	Kalgan, Tues, Apr. 11, 3.30 p.m.	
Sanshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming, Tues, Apr. 11, 4 p.m.	
Saigon	Clara Jensen, Wed., Apr. 12, 5 p.m.	
Prosper	Prosper, Apr. 11, 5 p.m.	
Wednesday.		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Clichibu Maru	Wed, Apr. 12.	
*Canada, C. and S. America and "Europe via San Francisco" (Due San Francisco, 3rd May.)	Registration, Apr. 11, 5 p.m.	
	Letters, Apr. 12, 8.30 a.m.	
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kweiyang, Wed, Apr. 12, 1.30 p.m.	
Swatow	Sale, Wed., Apr. 12, 2 p.m.	
Amoy	Tsian, Tues, Apr. 11, 3.30 p.m.	
Thursday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi	Conte Rosso, Thurs, April 13.	
K. P. O.	(Due Brindisi, 4th May.)	
Reg., Thurs, 3 p.m.	Reg., Thurs, 3.15 p.m.	
Letters, Thurs, 3 p.m.	Letters, Thurs, 4 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and "Europe via Victoria B.C. and "Europe via Siberia"	President Jefferson, Fri, Apr. 14.	
(Due Victoria B.C., 2nd May)	Parcels, Apr. 14, 10 a.m.	
	Reg., Apr. 14, 11.15 a.m.	
	Letters, Apr. 14, Noon	
*Manila	Pres. Monroe, Fri, Apr. 14, Noon	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hsiching, Fri, Apr. 14, Noon	
Manila	Emp. of Japan, Fri, Apr. 14, Noon	
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Kwangtung, Fri, Apr. 14, Noon	
Saturday.		
Shanghai and Japan	Kashima Maru, Sat, Apr. 15, 9 a.m.	
Hai Phong	Canton, Sat, Apr. 15, 9 a.m.	
Dairen	Tsian, Fri, Apr. 14, Noon	
Sunday.		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hozan Maru, Sun, Apr. 16, 9 a.m.	
Tuesday.		
*Manila, Australia and New Zealand Changte	Tues, Apr. 18.	
via Thursday Island	Parcels, Apr. 17, 9 a.m.	
(Due Thursday Island, 24th Apr.)	Reg., Apr. 18, 9.45 a.m.	
	Letters, Apr. 18, 10.30 a.m.	
*Manila, Makassar, and Sourabaya	Tjinegara, Tues, Apr. 18, 9.30 a.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning, Tues, Apr. 18, 2 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Coolidge, Tues, Apr. 18, 4.30 p.m.	
Sandakan	Mausang, Wed, Apr. 19, 2.30 p.m.	
	*Superscribed. Correspondence only.	

YELLOW RIVER RISES.

along the left bank of the Yellow River is being inundated as a result of the overflowing of that river near Chikow in West Shansi.

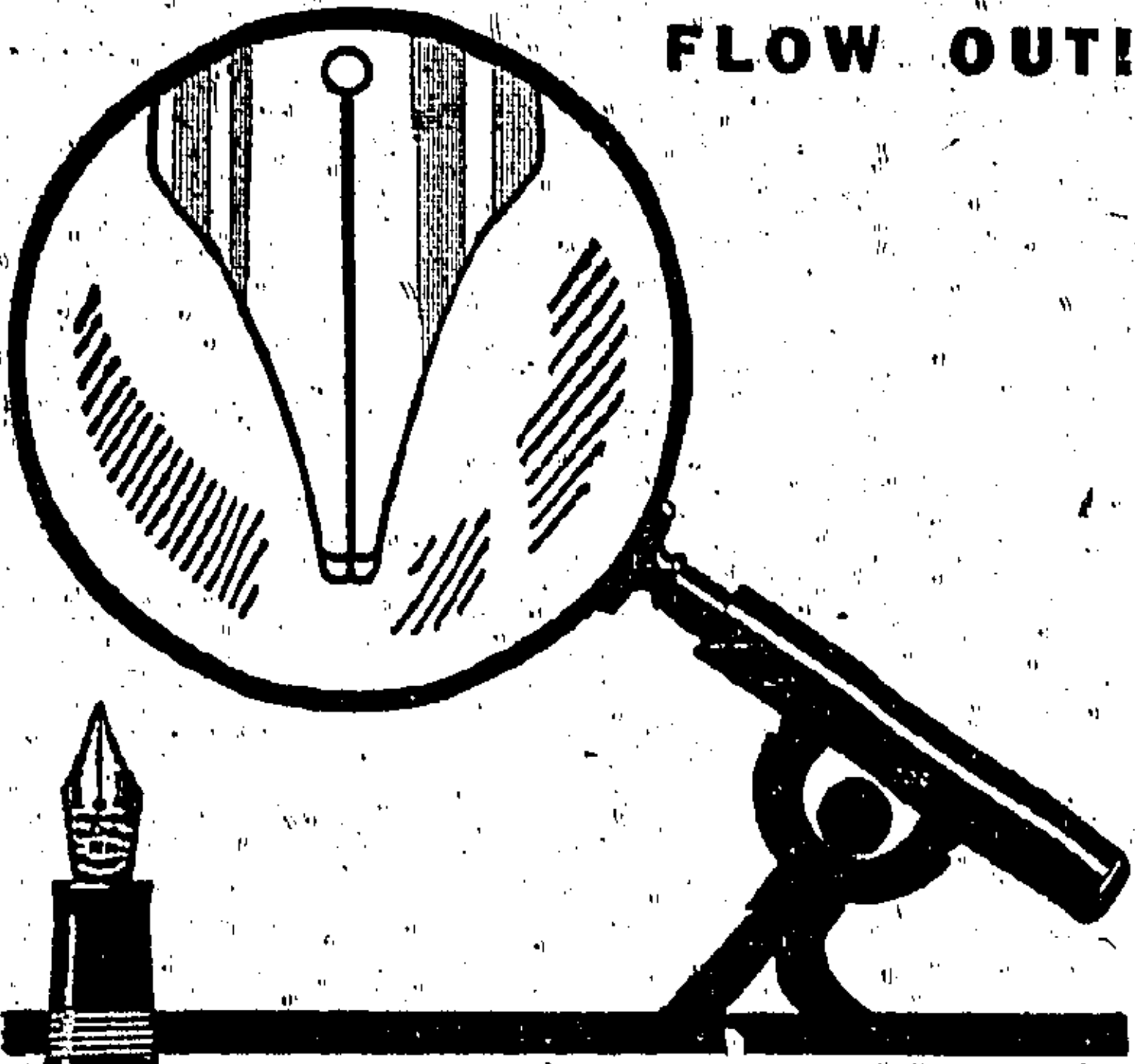
MANY HOUSES DESTROYED IN WEST SHANSI

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Taiyuan, Apr. 10.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET STRONG

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was strong yesterday. Business done: 1,760,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market advanced with an active turnover, notably in steel. Silver issues due to steel operations advanced 2 points. U.S. Steel Corporation's unutilized tonnage was only slightly below the most optimistic estimates. Retail trade is improving on account of Easter, and traders expect a favorable action soon for silver producers. Grains were strong owing to continued unfavourable crop reports and inflation prospects. The unutilized tonnage of U.S. Steel Corp. for the month of March was 1,841,000 as filled tonnage was only slightly below compared to 1,864,200 for February.

Dow-Jones averages:

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
30 Industrials	59.30	62.11
20 Rails	25.00	26.40
20 Utilities	12.83	13.11
40 Bonds	73.60	74.03

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
American Can	58 3/4	61 1/4
American Smelting	17	18 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	92 1/2	95 1/4
American Tobacco	62 1/4	64 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
American Waterworks	11 1/2	12 1/2
Amesbury Copper	7 1/2	8 1/4
Auburn Automobiles	34 1/2	37
Bethlehem Steel	16 1/2	17 1/2
Borden Company	22 1/2	23 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Canadian Pacific	7 1/2	8 1/4
Chase National Bk.	21 1/2	22 1/4
Chesapeake Corp.	10 1/2	11
Clayton	11 1/2	12 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Columbia Gas & Electric	10 1/2	11 1/4
Consolidated Gas of New York	mutl.	44 1/2
Drug Inc.	34	35 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	37	40

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Eastman Kodak	50 1/2	53 1/4
Electric Bond & Share	unq.	13 1/2
General Electric	13 1/2	14 1/4
General Foods	27	27 1/2
General Motors	12 1/2	13 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
General Railway Signal	unq.	19
Gillette Safety Razor	15 1/2	15 1/4
Gold Dust	16 1/2	17 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
International Harvester	23 1/2	24 1/4
International Nickel	9 1/2	9 1/4
International Tel. & Tel.	6 1/2	6 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Johns-Manville	18 1/2	20 1/4
Kennecott Copper	10 1/2	11 1/4
Lehman Corp.	44	45 1/4
Liggett & Myers	62 1/2	64 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Loew's Inc.	11 1/2	12 1/4
Montgomery Ward	14 1/2	15 1/4
National City Bank	23 1/2	24 1/4
New York Central	16 1/2	17 1/4

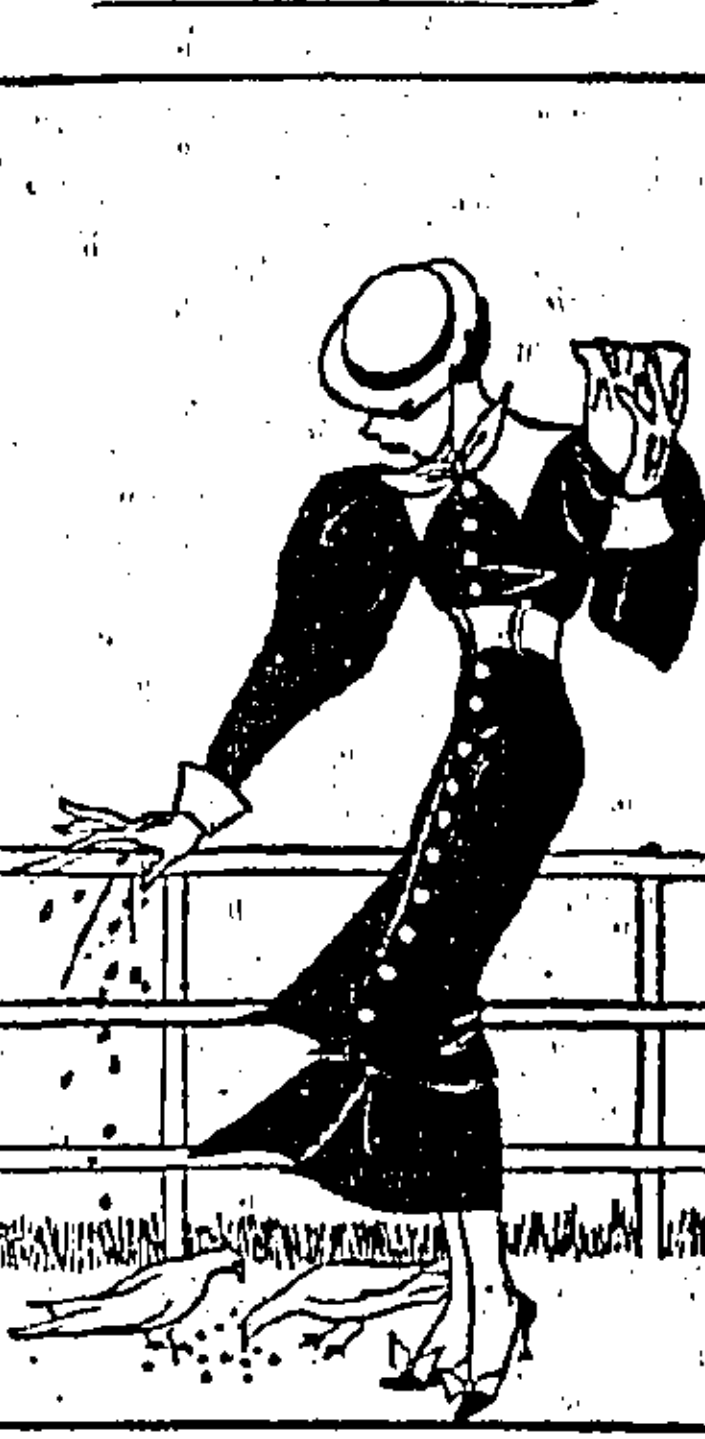
	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
North American Co.	16 1/2	17 1/4
Pacific Gas and Electric	20 1/2	21 1/4
Pennsylvania Railroad	16 1/2	17 1/4

	Apr. 8.	Apr. 10.
Public Service of N.J.	35	37
Radio Corporation	4	5 1/4

EXCHANGE RATES

	Apr. 6	Apr. 10
Paris	86.31/32	86.23/32
Geneva	17.70	17.60
Berlin	14.43 1/2	14.44
Helsingfors	227	228
Oslo	19 1/2	19.65
Athens	605	605
Milan	66 1/2	66.11/16
Buenos Aires	41	41
Shanghai	1/8 1/2	1/8
New York	3.41 1/2	3.41 1/2
Amsterdam	8.48	8.45 1/2
Vienna	32 1/2	33 1/2
Prague	114 1/2	114 1/2
Madrid	40 1/2	40 1/2
Bucharest	570	575
Hongkong	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Brussels	24.47 1/2	24.47 1/2
Stockholm	18.90/32	18.90
Copenhagen	18.90	22.7/16
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5 1/2	5 1/2
Bombay	1/6.11/16	1/6.11/16
Yokohama	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Montevideo	33	33
Montreal	4.14	4.11 1/2
War Loan	101.7/10	101.3/10
Belgrade	252 1/2	252 1/2
Silver (spot)	17.7/16	17.7/16
Silver (forward)	17 1/2	17 1/2

—British Wireless.



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	Apr. 6	Apr. 10
Reynolds Tobacco	31 1/4	31 1/4
"B"	18 1/2	19 1/2
Sears Roebuck	4 1/2	4 1/2
Shell Union	0 1/2	0 1/2
Socony-Vacuum Corporation	0 1/2	0 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	27 1/2	27 1/2
Texas Corporation	13 1/2	12 1/2
Union Carbide & Carbon	24 1/2	25 1/2
Union Pacific	0 1/2	0 1/2
United Aircraft & Trans.	21 1/2	22 1/2
United Gas Improvement	14 1/2	15 1/2
U.S. Rubber	4 1/2	4 1/2
U.S. Steel	30 1/2	32 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	25 1/2	27 1/2
Woolworth	26	28

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MINING SHARES FIRM

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. Mining shares ruled firm yesterday. Otherwise the market was quietly steady.

Chinese Bonds

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£ 99	£ 99
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 72	£ 72
5% Loan 1912	£ 43	£ 43
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Lan. Iss.)	£ 76 1/2	£ 76 1/2
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 104	£ 104
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 33-38	£ 33-38
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. (Supl. Loan)	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Shai-Hangchow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 68-78	£ 68-78
5% Honan Rly.	£ 5-10	£ 5-10
5% Hukuang Rly. 1911	£ 21-25	£ 21-25
5% Lung Tsiang U. Rly.	£ 10-15	£ 10-15
1913	£ 10-15	£ 10-15

Foreign Bonds

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
German 7% Internat. Loan 1924	77/6	77/-
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 66 1/2	£ 66 1/2
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 76 1/2	£ 76 1/2

Industrials & Breweries

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
Associated Elec. Industries	16/9	16/9
Brit. Amer. Tob.	95/-	95/-
Chinese Eng. & Min.	22/6	22/6
J. & P. Coats	49/-	49/-
Courtaulds	27/3	27/6
Distillers	53/3	53/6
Dunlop Rubber	21/4 1/2	21/4 1/2
Eveready	28/9	28/9
General Elec. (England)	40/6	40/3
Guinness	80/-	80/3
Imperial Chem. Industries	25/6	25/7 1/2
Imperial Tobacco	90/3	90/6
Internat. Tea Stores	27/6	27/6
Pinchin Johnson	26/3	26/6
Turner & Newall	24/6	24/6
Unilever	24/9	24/9

Miscellaneous

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
Anglo-Dutch	9/3	9/6
Burma Corp.	10/10 1/2	11/-
Canadian Pac.	11 1/2	12
Rly.	£ 11 1/2	£ 12
Pekin Dyndente	1/6	1/6
Shai. Elec. Constr.	49/-	49/-
Vickers	6/3	6/3

Oils

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
Anglo-Persian Oil	38 1/4	37 1/2
Burmah Oil	58/9	58/6
Mexican Eagle	6/10 1/2	6/9
Royal Dutch	£ 10 1/2	£ 10 1/2
Shell Trans. & Trad.	43/9	43/9

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Lo Cheng Shiu begs to announce
that the marriage between his
daughter Enid and Mr. John
Letablers Litton will take place
at the Registry on Wednesday,
April 26th, and that a Reception
will be held at the Hongkong
Hotel at 4.30 p.m. No formal
invitations are being issued, but
all friends are cordially invited
to the Reception.

The
Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY APRIL 11, 1933.

THE MOSCOW
ARRESTS

World interest will be centred
in the trial of six British em-
ployees of Metropolitan Vickers
which opens in Moscow to-mor-
row. The elaborate arrange-
ments which the Soviet has
made for the event are no doubt
intended to have a political
significance, but what Britain
and the rest of the world are
interested in is the precise
measure of justice which the
accused men will receive. There
would appear little room for
doubt that after their arrest the
men now facing trial underwent
a most unpleasant experience in
the severe grilling they received.
The full facts in this connexion
have, it is to be feared, not even
yet been disclosed. The charges
preferred are of a somewhat
peculiar character, yet more
readily understood when we ponder
on the Soviet habit of plac-
ing all foreigners under suspi-
cion. To the suggestion made by
Britain that these men are not
the type likely to engage in the
activities with which they are
charged, the Soviet has some-
what cheekily retorted that if
belief in their innocence is so
profound, why all the concern
which is being manifested? The
answer, of course, is that not
much faith can be placed in Rus-
sian judicial methods. If there
were a certainty that the ac-
cused would get a fair and above-
board trial, there would be no
occasion for anxiety. But the
Soviet's ruthlessness in sum-
marily despatching its own
suspected citizens without even
the semblance of a trial natu-
rally raises the fear that foreigners
are scarcely likely to get a
square deal. On the other hand,
Russia is strictly within her
rights in contending that for-
eigners who come into the coun-
try must be amenable to Soviet
laws. But, equally, Britain, or any
other country, has a perfect
right when any of their subjects
are placed under arrest, to know
the reason why and to strain
every legitimate effort to see
that they get justice. The
point naturally arises as to the
precise time on which it is wise
to make representations, and
what the nature of those re-
presentations should be. Here
there would appear to be some
ground for thinking that Britain
may have acted with undue

haste, at any rate so far as the
character of the steps taken is
concerned. The thought which
suggests itself is that the situ-
ation might have been adequately
met had the Soviet been infor-
med, when the arrests were made
and the charges specified, that
Britain would keep a keen and
watchful eye on future develop-
ments. Instead of that, pre-
liminary threats have been
followed by action making
provision for a boycott of
Russian goods. The danger
is that these steps may
tend to prejudice the case of the
accused men rather than other-
wise. On general grounds, how-
ever, there does appear to have
been occasion for doubting whe-
ther, in any circumstances, the
prisoners would be given a fair
trial. We can only hope that the
worldwide attention now given
to the case will have the effect
of dissipating fears in this
connexion.

European Alliances

The consolidation of the Little
Entente—Yugoslavia, Roumania
and Czechoslovakia—is an in-
evitable reply to the rumours of
the formation of a Triplice in
Europe. Whether there is an
alliance or not, it is widely be-
lieved that Italy, Germany and
Hungary have an understanding
on common policy; and politi-
cians who have shown themselves
pacifist are betraying anxiety.
France has actually hinted that
Russia may, as in pre-war days,
serve as a counterweight to Ger-
many, and in its recent treaty
with the Soviet seems to have
such a development in view.
Among the smaller nations of
Europe there are greater mis-
givings. The Little Entente
was formed as a defensive as-
sociation. Its members felt that
individually they were feeble,
and that the territories allotted
to them might be claimed by the
defeated nations. They united
to protect the status quo. It is
impossible to say that the mo-
tive was not, in the circum-
stances, legitimate; but it had
the unfortunate effect of per-
petuating the notion of alliances
in Europe. Always against
alliances, there have been pitted
counter-alliances; and although
it was argued that the Little
Entente was different, yet the
conception of a balance of power
as opposed to the concep-
tion of the League was pre-
served, especially as France too
entered into a series of accords,
more or less of a military char-
acter. It is useless to disguise
the existence of a feeling of
menace in Europe. Not only are
there these suggestions of a new
triplice, but there is also the
advent of Hitler with a more
aggressive foreign policy. The
opportunity is taken, in nation-
alist quarters in France, to de-
mand a general welding of al-
liances against the growing de-
mand for a revision of the trea-
ties. It is argued that the
revisionists rely on the division
of the former allies, and their
diplomatic tactics have been to
break all attempts to maintain
a common front. While they
are themselves framing accords
for action, they are engaged in
disuniting those nations which
stand for the status quo. The
tendency of Europe to form
alliances and thus to separate
into two camps, is obviously re-
trograde. The system leads
straight to a balance of power,
which is necessarily precarious.

Changing London

The face of London is con-
stantly changing. An amuse-
ment park has invaded the
dignity of the Haymarket;
business is breaking into Car-
lton House Gardens; and the
appearance of the Strand from
the Embankment has recently
been utterly transformed by the
erection of a huge structure in
gleaming white stone, surmount-
ed by a colossal clock that seems
likely to be a formidable rival of
Big Ben himself. But what is
perhaps the most constant
change of all is rarely
noticed. The big shops are
going ever farther. Twenty
or twenty-five years ago
the most westward big shop was
nearly half a mile east of Hyde
Park; to-day shops on the largest
scale seem to be entirely at
home in the very heart of the
most aristocratic fastnesses of
Kensington, as far to the west
of Hyde Park as they were form-
erly to the east.

THE HONGKONG CABARET

VII. The Conclusions

In this article, the last of the
series, *Controversialist* makes fur-
ther revelations of the working of
the cabaret system in Hongkong.

The great point claimed for the
cabarets is that they do not sell
liquors, but if all the brawls, or a
reasonable proportion of them,
were due to intoxication, they
would not have excited any great
interest or called for unusual
comment, and the Colony would,
in the course of time, have regard-
ed such incidents with the apathy
given nowadays to noisy happen-
ings in a "pub".

But it has been revealed on at
least two occasions that the
"affair" was of a different origin,
and if not all that, had run
perilously close to *une affaire
passionnelle*.

Such a one developed in a local
cabaret one recent night just after
two distinguished Legislative Coun-
cillors, by a curious coincidence,
then engaged doubtless on a *tour
d'inspection*, had left. With the
circumstances leading up to this
incident we are not much con-
cerned save from the viewpoint
of its revelation of a complication
and an evil that, above every other
factor, should recommend itself to
the careful attention of our
Legislators. The actual presence,
at other times, of high Police
officials in one of these cabarets,
has not exerted as an assurance of
continued security or a guarantee
against a future occurrence. The
possibilities for unpleasantness
are of a nature falling within
ordinary imagination; and if it
has not, should have stimulated
furious thinking in this direction
by precedents set at Harbin and
Shanghai.

GOVERNMENT
ATTITUDE

The present attitude of the
authorities, if we rightly interpret
it, is the open mind properly to be
observed in any undertaking that
is new and conferring a benefit or
profit, of a moral, educational, re-
creational, or material kind, to
the community in general, now
restricted for ways and means of
lifting this Colony from the un-
desirable position for which it is
heading "through" a continued
worldwide economic depression.
In their attitude *vis a vis* the local
cabarets, they are said to have
been principally inspired by re-
cognition of a need for at last re-
moving the outer semblances of
that depression; or by a benevo-
lent view on rational entertain-
ment facilities for at least one
section of the community deprived
of their age-old West Point plea-
sure quarter, now disappearing.
All things considered, the Police
authorities have acted with due
caution in the matter, but the time
is now thought to be ripe for plac-
ing a "public entertainment" on a
regulated and licensed basis.

What will be the regulations?
We know only that such are being
drafted, that at the proper time
they will be presented by the Head
of the Police Department in their
carefully considered form to the
Governor-in-Council, by whom if
they are approved and passed,
they will automatically be trans-
lated into law.

THE NEW
REGULATIONS

Without seeking to anticipate
these Regulations, we believe they
have to do in the main with the
proper conduct of these resorts.
Soon the word "cabaret" will be
brought within the legal definition
of a "public place of entertain-
ment," and find a place in our
social laws—now that the authori-
ties have committed themselves to
its continued tolerance by a prom-
ise of "regulations". But what-
ever the exact nature of official
supervision and control devised,
it cannot be complete in the view
of many, without taking into ac-
count the relations between em-
ployer and employee, the terms of
employment, and the abuses likely
to accrue from a situation where
an employer with a comparatively
small capital, is given control over
imported "indentured labour".
The very nature of a cabaret
business, we suppose, requires a
constant change of personnel, but
the practice must not be lowered
to a position, degrading to all
concerned, where the girls are no
better than the new subscription
griffins imported every year to
give "new blood" to race meetings.
The comparison is perhaps in-
elegant, but it will serve its pur-
pose of explaining another com-
plexity in the local cabaret ques-
tion.

INTO THE
RUN

The New Regulations, from
latest reports, will be coming into
force about the end of the present
month. In the interim there has
been a regular "boom" in cabaret
enterprise. The official figures
are being eclipsed as other pro-
moters get into the run before
such new Regulations limit the
total number. "We are being pro-
mised something 'really good' in the
cabaret line" by June 30, but
refuse to be thrilled as we can by
no stretch of the imagination con-
ceive it to be better, or for that
matter worse, than the ones al-
ready in existence. The position
has engendered another complex
namely the landlord complex.
Not without reason he is setting
up a new standard in higher rents,
and one such who recently sought
to translate his cabaret ideas into
action in the midst of a peaceful
residential quarter in Kowloon,
was dealt a sharp rap in the
knuckles by all his other tenants
threatening to move out *en masse*.
There is much more to be said
about the problem, but *Controversialist*
has been accused of
having turned "Moralist", and so
while sounding a note of warning,
is content to leave the subject at
that.



"I hope we can send him to Sandhurst. It would be such
a beautiful place to visit."

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AUTOBIOGRAPHY

By Edward Kelly, Poodle Faker-N.

Since functioning in the heart-
ache department yesterday we
have been approached by our
Great and Admiring Female
Public to tell the story of our life.

Well, there were quite a number
of girls we might have married.

For instance, the first girl we
ever really loved was a waitress
named Quennie, who used to
serve tea in a bun shop we fre-
quented.

We never married her because
she was thirty-eight and we
were seventeen. We offered to,
but she said she had quite enough
to do to support her husband.

Of course, we already had "a
past." She was Matilda. We
named our motor-car after Ma-
tilda. We were fifteen and she
was fourteen. One day, in the
ordinary course of business, we
pulled her hair, and instead of
kicking us in the shins, she burst
into tears. We were afraid that
she would tell her mother and get
us into trouble, so we put our
arms around her to soothe her.

Suddenly we felt we were going
to kiss her. We did it, hating
ourselves for a sissy all the time.
And the mink kissed us back. It
was done. We were in love. We
told her brother, our best friend,
and he said, "What, that kid?
Why, she's frightened of mice."

Our castles tumbled about our
ears, and next time we saw
Matilda we threw a rotten apple
at her.

Olive was next. We loved
Olive with a consuming love that
burnt us all up. She was a pretty
girl, but something went wrong
with her. Perhaps she gambled,
or, even worse, taught in Sunday
School. We forgot now.

But we remember Gertie. We
fell so hard for her we were
bruised all over. She was the
greatest little girl in the greatest
little world in the world. But
Gertie was the kind who went in
for open air sports—the sports
who own single seaters, and we
were too poor in those days. We
were wiped off.

By now we were becoming a
connoisseur of dames, and what
with Evelyn and Leslie and Molly
and Sheila and half a dozen
others who fitted through our life
just about when we were twenty-
one, we were violently in love so
often that our life became a
round of man-bait.

That was until Nancy came
into our life. Nancy was a
suicide blonde. We never dared
ask her to marry us, and used to
call ourselves a worm for not pluck-
ing up enough courage to do it.
But as there were about seventeen
other worms hanging around, we
don't think she ever missed us.

Oh, and there was Pearl, whom
we should have married. It was
her fault that we didn't. When
we asked her if she would be ours,
or let us be hers, she said "No,"
and that was that.

Just at the moment we are
heart-free. Applications will be
received between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fri-
days.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

"Pobbles"

Yes, dear, the "Gold Falcon" is
a "teaser," isn't it? It might be
Miss Bowen's work, but we doubt
it. In fact, we think our guess is
old O'Shea. The book has that air
of "clean fun" about it that we as-
sociate with his work.

"Lover of Quotations"

The lines
"Lives of great men all remind us
"We can make our lives sublime
"And in dying leave behind us
"Footmarks on the sands of
time."

are new to us, "Lover of
Quotations." They sound very
much like Rupert Brooke.

J. H. M. R. K.

What a lot of initials you have!
We hope the printer has got them
right. We shall be very glad to
take you to see Dickens' birthplace.
(Such a humane writer, and so
prolific.) Meet us at about 9.30
on Thursday, and we'll have a
couple of "quick ones" first.

"Buttercup"

"Who is our greatest living
novelist?" Golly, what a question!
Do you want us to offend half our
acquaintances? Here's our "short
list" for you, "Buttercup," and you
must choose your own from that.
Here goes:

- * A. E. W. Mason.
- * Warwick Deering.
- * Hugh Walpole.
- * Gilbert Frankau.
- * Ulla Toss.

The ones marked * are special-
ly good, "Buttercup." We put in
Miss Toss to represent the modern
school; the others are all pre-Kelly.

**STREET ORATOR
FINED****JAPANESE BOYCOTT
TALK**

A Chinese brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning, on a charge of libeling in Chin Loong Street, was said to be talking politics, in which Chiang Kai-shek and the anti-Japanese boycott figured. He had collected about 50 hearers around him before the police intervened.

The defendant pleaded that he was sent out by a monk. Sub-Inspector Thorpe observed that he did not know a monk was interested in politics, but he was sure the defendant was. It was usual for people like the defendant to go about pretending to sell books on fortune-telling while they were really giving political speeches.

Defendant was fined \$25, or three weeks' imprisonment.

**FATAL TAXI
MISHAP****WOMAN DIES FROM
INJURIES**

A fatal motor accident occurred on the Lai-chikok Road last night, when a Blue taxi, driven by Chan Fook, collided with a Chinese woman and caused head injuries from which she died after admission to hospital.

The police were informed by the taxi-driver that the woman unexpectedly ran out of the verandah, with the apparent intention of crossing over to the other side of the road, and the driver was unable to pull up in time.

**THE DUTCH BOXER
REMISSION****HYDRAULIC WORK
CONTRACTS**

The Hague, April 10. Following an exchange of Notes between the Chinese and the Netherlands Government through the Dutch Legation at Peking, it has been agreed that part of the Dutch share of the Boxer Indemnity is to be used for hydraulic contracts in China and part for the creation of fund for the promotion of cultural relations between the two countries.

Holland's recently announced remission of her share of the indemnity is retroactive to January 1926.—*Reuter*.

**BRITANNIA ALL
READY****KING YACHT 'AT
COWES**

London, April 10. The King's racing yacht "Britannia" took the water again today at Cowes after her winter overhaul.

The yacht will compete at all first-class regattas this season and will make her first appearance at Harwich on 27th May.—*British Wireless*.

**WHEN THE LEAGUE
SPENDS****BRITISH SHARE OF CON-
TRACTS 5 PER CENT**

British firms have up to date shared in the contracts in connection with the Palace of Nations at Geneva to the extent of 5.6 per cent.

The Foreign Secretary, in reply to Mr. Hall-Gaine, stated in the House of Commons that the total estimated cost of the Palace of Nations was 30,000,000 gold francs, of which 4,250,000 francs have been given by Mr. Rockefeller to cover the cost of the new library. So far contracts amounting in all to approximately 15,500,000 francs had been allocated, and of these, two, amounting together to about 870,000 francs, had been awarded to British firms.

AIR ATTACHE.**GOVERNMENT CONSIDERING
RECOMMENDATION**

London, Apr. 10. The recommendation of Sir Miles Lampson to appoint an Air Attache to China, in view of the representations of British aircraft manufacturers, is under Government consideration, stated Sir John Simon in the House of Commons today.—*Reuter*.

Crowds attended the President Cafe on its opening yesterday, the patronage extended exceeding the most sanguine expectations.

**RELIGIOUS CLAUSE
MADE VOID****1910 SETTLEMENT BY
LORD BORWICK**

Mr. Justice Bennett gave a considered judgment in a question raised by a condition in a settlement made in 1910 by Lord Borwick of Hawshead, then Sir Robert Hudson Borwick, for the benefit of his grandchildren.

A clause stated that if any grandchild should, at any time, before obtaining a vested interest in the trust fund, become a Roman Catholic, or not be openly and avowedly a Protestant, he or she should forfeit a part of his or her share in the capital or income of the fund.

The trustees asked that this condition be construed for their guidance as three of the grandchildren became Roman Catholics.

Mr. Justice Bennett held that the clause was inoperative because, he said, it would restrain a parent doing his duty to his children. "Parent's duty," said the Judge, "ought to be discharged solely with a view to the moral and spiritual welfare of their children and that duty ought not to be influenced by mercenary considerations, affecting their children's worldly welfare."

He had to ask himself whether the parents of the respondent grandchildren in this case might have been deterred from discharging their duty in regard to religious instruction by this condition, and the answer must be "Yes."

He held, therefore, that the condition was void, and that the shares of the grandchildren were not to be cut down because of it.

**DISMISSAL OF
POLICE CHIEF****DE VALERA DECLINES
TO GIVE REASON**

Mr. De Valera was questioned by Mr. Cosgrave in the Dail on the removal of General O'Duffy from the office of Commissioner of the Civic Guard.

Mr. Cosgrave asked the reason, and whether any charge was made against General O'Duffy.

Mr. De Valera replied that no charge had been made against General O'Duffy. He was removed because in the opinion of the Government a change of Commissioner was desirable in the public interest.

Pressed by Mr. Cosgrave, Mr. De Valera declined to give any reason, and also declined to afford any facilities for a discussion on the matter.

Dr. Emile Brumpt, the French parasitologist and a well-known figure in the medical world, has been, lying dangerously ill at the Pasteur special clinic in Paris with one of the rarest and most virulent diseases known to modern medical science.

The disease, which he contracted while dissecting a guinea pig, is Rocky Mountain spotted fever.

RECORD AIR SPEED.**ITALIAN'S CLAIM TO NEW
FIGURES**

Gardone, Apr. 10. Warrant Officer Agello, the Italian flyer, claims to have broken the British record of 407½ miles an hour, covering a measured course at the rate of 437½ miles an hour.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

ONE OF THE GREATEST LESSONS IN LIFE IS TO LEARN, NOT TO DO WHAT ONE LIKES, BUT TO LIKE WHAT ONE DOES.—H. Black.

The steam launch Kwangtung, which was yesterday reported missing, has returned to port, having been delayed by fog.

A Chinese woman was admitted to hospital yesterday suffering from injuries received through an attempt to alight from a moving bus in Prince Edward Road.

The Hon. Treasurer of the St. John Ambulance New Territories Medical Benevolent Branch begs to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations:—Bishop Perry, Rhode Island Diocese, per Dr. Arthur Woo, \$40; Mr. Ng Yuk-lung (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau), \$80; Mrs. Southern, \$20; for purchase of medical supplies per Mr. Choy Cheong, \$50.

Shikanozaki Iwata, 28, an unemployed Japanese, who was charged with being found in the Colony without valid passports, again appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones today at the end of a week's remand, when it was stated that arrangements for the defendant's repatriation to Japan had been made by the Japanese Consul-General. Pending his departure tomorrow by the Chichibu Maru, Det. Sgt. Mottram asked for an order of expulsion and commitment to the House of Detention. Both orders were made by the Magistrate.

**LONDON EATING
LESS****TAKING LESS TIME
ABOUT IT****FLIGHT FROM SNACK
BAR PERCHES**

An extensive tour of London's principal hotels, restaurants, and sandwich bars to discover what, and where, the modern generation eats, revealed the facts that people are:

Eating less,
Eating quicker,
Choosing their food more carefully, and
Losing the "snack-bar," but not the coffee stall, habit.

A year ago it was only necessary to erect a long-counter and install some high stools to ensure making a handsome profit. To-day, with the exception of one or two specialised places with a regular clientele, situated mostly in Mayfair, these quick-lunch establishments are being driven out of business by the restaurants and cafes. Dozens have been compelled to close down in the last few months, unable to attract sufficient business to pay even their rent.

A striking example showing how this essentially American habit has failed to conquer London was furnished by Signor Tagliani, the celebrated restaurateur, who has an unrivalled knowledge of the eating habits and tastes of the English.

"In my latest restaurant," he stated, "I experimented with a snack bar, to find out whether such an innovation would prove popular with my customers. It is the first time I have taken this step, and it will be the last."

"It tends to destroy the intimate atmosphere which is the secret of all successful restaurants, for diners, in evening dress do not always care to find themselves sitting next to someone dressed in plus fours who is smoking a pipe."

"In my opinion, sandwich bars will never become a habit with English people, in spite of the undoubtedly success they enjoy in America."

This view was shared by the proprietor of a fashionable quick-lunch bar in Mayfair, who admitted that although he was doing well at the moment, it was only a matter of time before his customers would transfer their attention elsewhere. It was "the informality, or the simplicity of the food that attracted them; they went wherever they knew they would meet their friends."

On the other hand, the old-established restaurants declare that, in spite of the fact that people are eating less than before the depression—and eating faster, too—there has definitely been a revival of the pre-war custom of dining and entertaining out, and also a tendency to display greater familiarity with the art of choosing the right food at the right time.

Coffee stalls, too, are doing a roaring trade.

"My takings average £25 a night," the owner of one of them stated, "and I can give you examples of plenty of other stalls which are doing even better business. I could open a snack bar to-morrow if I wanted to, but I know it would be throwing my money away."

America, it seems, can influence us in many ways, but she cannot tell us how, or where to eat.

Dairen, Apr. 10. Khingan, as the fifth Manchukuo province, was decreed on Saturday. Mongol autonomy was guaranteed.—*Reuter*.

JAPAN INTERESTED.**MAY SEND MINISTER TO
ECONOMIC CONFERENCE**

Tokyo, Apr. 10. Mr. Takahashi, Finance Minister, may be invited to represent Japan at the World Economic Conference and preliminary negotiations at Washington, but it is unlikely that he will accept.

It is indicated in official circles however that someone of ministerial calibre will be appointed, as the Government is apparently more interested than when the conference was first proposed.—*Reuter's Special*.

China to Participate.

Nanking, Apr. 10. The Chinese public here is showing a keen interest over the forthcoming international discussions at Washington to which both China and Japan are among the parties invited. It is believed that the Sino-Japanese dispute over Manchuria will inevitably receive some attention.

The Nanking Bar Association, and other public bodies are preparing a petition to the Government asking the Authorities to consider carefully the choice of the Chinese representative.

The Washington conference, to which prominent world statesmen, including Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mussolini, Hitler and Daladier, have been invited, will discuss disarmament and world economic problems.—*Reuter*.

BATHING EXCURSIONS.**MOTOR SERVICE TO
CASTLE PEAK**

As previously announced, Whitt's Car Hire and Drive Yourself Service are inaugurating a daily motor service to the Castle Peak beaches, as from to-day.

The first car will leave the Y.M.C.A. this afternoon at 1.45, and will return at 5.30 p.m. The second trip will be made at 5.30 p.m., returning to Kowloon at 8.30 p.m., whilst on moon-light nights an extra excursion will be made at 9.30 p.m. and return at 1 a.m.

The fare for the first trip, including the use of a bathing shed and tea at Castle Peak, will be \$2.50 per head, children in arms being charged \$1 on this trip only. A charge of \$2.25 will be made for the second journey, which will include use of bathing shed, only, while for the third trip a charge of \$2.50 will be made and will include the use of the bathing shed.

Any licensed driver with a party of four may drive one of the Service Company's cars at any of the above-mentioned rates. Parties of four will be called for if requested at any one address.

REIN AT MANILA.**DIRECT FLIGHT FROM
HONGKONG**

Senor Rein Loring, the Spanish airman, left Kai Tak Aerodrome on his flight from Hongkong to Manila direct at 10.45 a.m. yesterday, and reached his destination at 5.11 p.m.

In a cablegram to Senor Jose Gascon, ch. Gonzalez de Bernedo, consul for Guatemala, Senor Rein sent greetings to friends in Hongkong and stated he made a good landing in Manila shortly after 5 p.m.

"BUY CHINESE."**MOVEMENT INAUGURATED
IN SHANGHAI**

Shanghai, Apr. 10. More than 5,000 people, including several Government officials, attended a meeting held under the auspices of the First Special District Citizens' Association inaugurating a "Buy Chinese" movement.

A number of speeches were delivered, pointing out that buying Chinese products and boycotting Japanese goods was the duty of all Chinese citizens who could not take up arms and fight the Japanese at the war front.—*Reuter*.

**SIBERIAN ROUTE
SUSPENDED.****DISPUTE BETWEEN SOVIET
AND MANCHUKUO**

Dairen, Apr. 10. Traffic between Europe and the Far East has been suspended as a result of a dispute between the Soviet and Manchukuo.

The Manchukuo Government on Saturday ordered a blockade of Manchuria in an effort to stop Soviet control of passports and customs. The railway service between Europe and the Far East has therefore been suspended, pending a settlement.—*Reuter*.

**RADIO
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TODAY**

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.).

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.
7-10.30 p.m. European programme.
7.30 p.m. Operatic.
Orchestral—Carmen Suite—Prelude to Act 1 (Bizet).
Orchestral—Carmen Suite—Habenera (Bizet).
Philadelphia Symphony Orch. 1936.
Song—Martha—Like a Dream (Flores).

Beniamino Gigli (Tenor). 7109.
Band—Aida—Introduction and Moorish Ballet (Verdi).
Band—Aida—Grand March and Finale (Verdi).
Creator's Band. 35780.

7.20 p.m.
Closing Local Stock Quotations, Selected London and New York Stock Quotations, etc.

7.20-8.30 p.m. A Concert.
8 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).
Piano Solo—Cradle Song (Brahms).
Piano Solo—Under the Palms (Albeniz).

Alfred Cortot. 1271.
Violin Solo—Dance of the Males (Frank-Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Blue Sides (Berlin-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1233.
Song—Evening Fair (Bourget-Debusay).
Song—The Wistful Moon (Verlaine-Szule).

Mary Garden (Soprano). 1439.
Piano Solo—Album Leaf (Grieg).
Piano Solo—Capriccio (Brahms).

Harold Bauer. 1413.
Song—Absent (Glenn-Metcalf).
Song—A Dream (Cory-Bartlett).
Richard Crooks (Tenor). 4000.

Violin Solo—Aloha Oe (Farewell to thee) (Liliuokalani-Kreisler).
Violin Solo—From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water (Cadmian-Kreisler).
Fritz Kreisler. 1116.

Song—A Parting (Peterson-Rogers).
Song—Pirate Dreams (Garnett-Huerter).

Ernestine Schumann-Heink (Contralto). 1300.
Piano Solo—Tango (Albeniz).
Piano Solo—Soaring (Schumann).

Wilhelm Backhaus. 1445.
Song—A May Morning (Weatherly-Damm).
Song—Boat Song (Moses-Ware).

Lambert Murphy (Tenor). 4016.
8.30-9 p.m. Variety.
Band—Shepherd's Hey.
Mayfair Band. 20841.

Song—Pampas Grass.
Yosie Fujiwara. 4044.
Duet for Two Pianos—Bagamuffin.
Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 21929.

Humorous Song—A Tale of the Flicker.
Frank Crumit. 22154.

Band—Glorioushears.
Mayfair Band. 20841.

Song—Song of Autumn.
Yosie Fujiwara. 4044.
Duet for Two Pianos—Dance of the Paper Dolls.

Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 21929.
Humorous Song—The Return of the Gay Caballero.
Frank Crumit. 22154.

9.30 p.m. Orchestral and Band Music.

Japanese Nocturne (Eichheim).
Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 7269.

Minuet (Beethoven).
18th Century Dance (Haydn).
Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 7269.

Cleopatra (Mancinelli, arr. Creator).
Creator's Band. 20045.

Creole Rhapsody (Ellington).
Duke Ellington and His Orch. 30049.

9.30-10.15 p.m. From the Studio.
Selections by the Y.M.C.A. Male Voice Choir.

Programme.

1. (a) Song of the Vikings (E. Fanf.).

(b) Deep River (Negro Spiritual) (arr. Burleigh).

2. Songs—Selected.

Miss F. McGill (Soprano).
3. (a) A-Hunting We Will Go (arr. Dunhill).

(b) Comrade's Song (A. Adam).

4. Songs—Selected.

Miss F. McGill (Soprano).
5. (a) Sailor's Chorus ("The Flying Dutchman"—Wagner).

(b) Soldier's Chorus ("Faust"—Gounod).

10.15-10.30 p.m.

The Moonlight Sonata (Beethoven) played by Harold Bauer. 6590/1.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Press News.

10.33 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European Programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie and Co.

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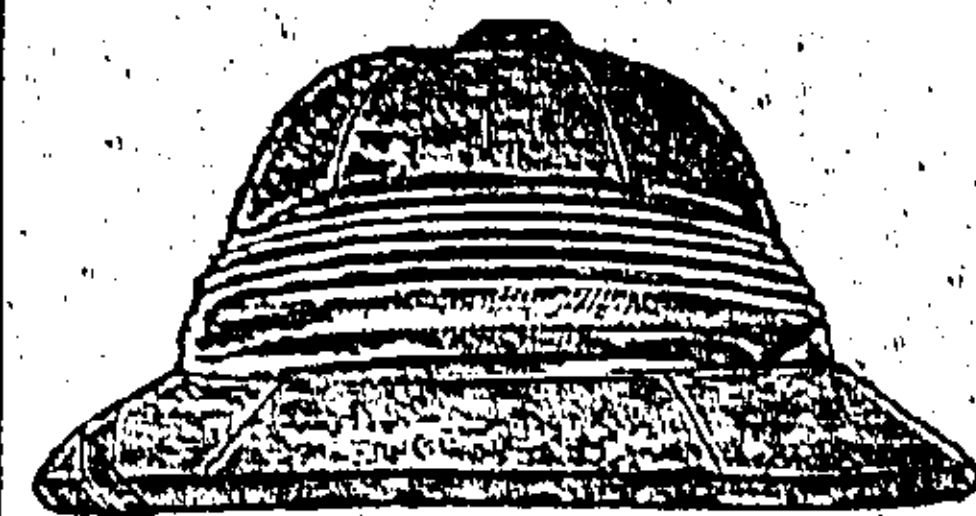
Dame Maude Lawrence, Ickenham Hall, Middlesex, first Director of Women's Establishments at the Treasury and formerly Chief Women Inspector of the Board of Education, left £172,382, net personally £108,751.

Mr. Francis Macaskie, Berwick Grange, Harrogate, for years Chairman of Directors of the "Yorkshire Evening News," Chairman of the New Century Publishing Company, left £37,949.

Miss Mildred Duff, Gunton-road, Upper Clapton, a Commissioner in the Salvation Army, who is said to have inspired Bernard Shaw's play, "Major Barbara," left £11,285, net personally £9,176.

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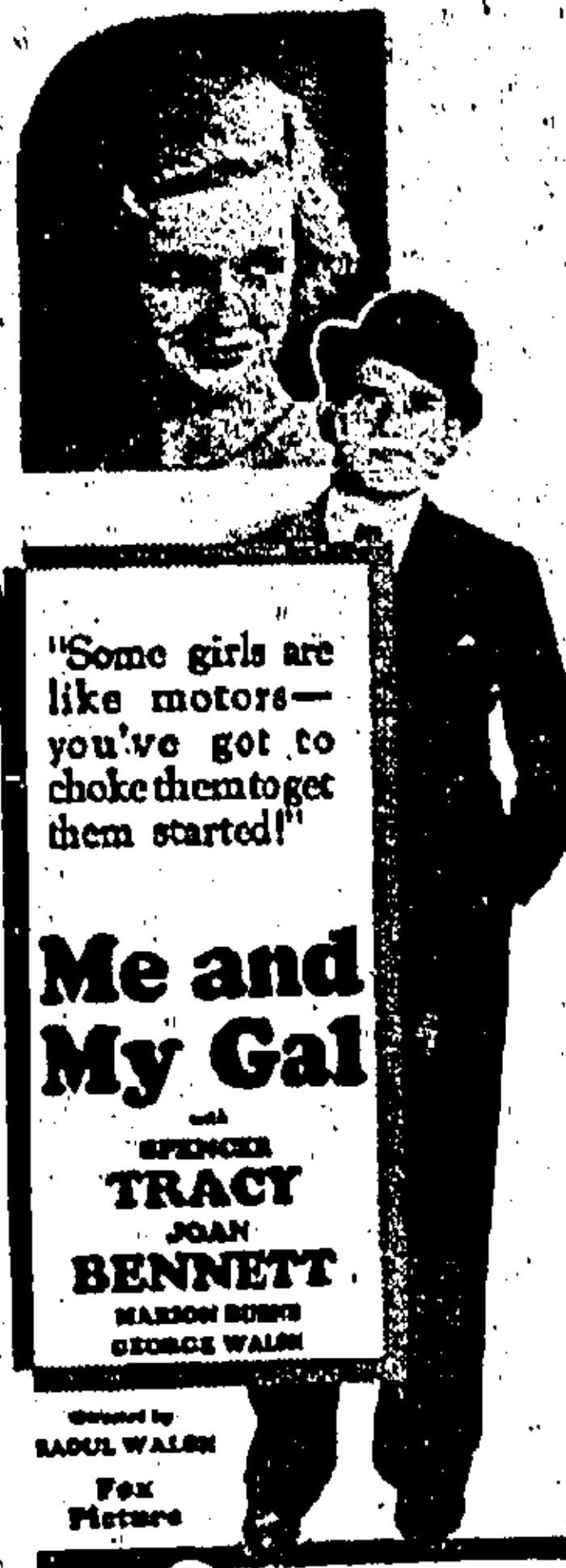
each other they grew up so much alike that it was almost impossible to recognise the one from the other.

The elder became third Earl of Durham. When he died in September, 1928, he was succeeded by his brother, who, however, died a few months later.

The present Viscount Knutsford was the younger of twins, and succeeded to the title on the death of his brother in 1931.

The present Earl of Clancarty had a twin brother who died when he was three years old.

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MAMAK CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY INCOGNITOS

BRILLIANT
RECORDRADIO DEPRIVED
OF TITLEYESTERDAY'S MATCH
DECIDES ISSUE

By virtue of their defeat of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps yesterday, the Incognitos have won the Mamak Hockey League.

The Club has achieved this in its first year of its existence in the tournament, depriving the Radio Sports Club of the title which they won last winter when the league came into operation.

The incognitos owe their success to the generous gesture of the Mamak committee, who allowed an extension to the official closing time of the season, thus enabling the Incogs to complete their fixtures.

It is reported, however, that a protest is to be lodged with regard to the points awarded the Incognitos by H. M. S. Tamar when the latter were unable to field a team to play off their fixture, although on what grounds such a protest is based has not been disclosed.

FINAL LEAGUE TABLE.

The final positions of the first seven teams are as follows:—

Club.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pls.
Incognitos	20	13	1	1	68	11	30
Radio S.C.	21	18	1	2	72	15	37
St. Andrew's	20	15	2	3	61	14	32
1st H.K.S. Bty.	20	15	2	3	67	23	32
Royal Signals	20	12	3	5	57	25	27
Wishart	18	13	0	5	37	27	25
R.A.S.C.	21	11	3	7	41	27	25

Two points conceded by H.M.S. Tamar.

SEVEN GOALS TO NIL.

The Incognitos swamped the Royal Army Ordnance Corps seven goals to nil at Caroline Hill yesterday in the Mamak Tournament. Throughout the game they brought a heavy pressure to bear on the military goal, claiming three goals in the first half and four in the second. Their stickwork and understanding was excellent, and it was all the military defenders could do to cope with their sallies on the goal.

When the game had been in progress for about 10 minutes, Xavier found the net from a melee in front of the goal to open the scoring. Shortly after he added the second. Before the half time whistle sounded, R. C. Reed gave them their third with a shot that completely beat the goal keeper.

In the early stages of the second half, the military defenders put up a stout resistance, and for some while held the Incognitos forwards. But the pressure was too much for them, and four more goals were added.

R. C. Reed netted one, and Xavier netted one, while Sousa with two brilliant solo efforts netted twice. His first goal was particularly outstanding, for he got possession of the ball in mid-field and dribbled through four players to net.

Protest to be Entered.

The Incognitos have now won the championship, but it is understood that a protest is being lodged with regard to the points awarded them by H.M.S. Tamar not playing their game on Sunday morning.

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World's Indoor Running
Broken by Americans

New York, Apr. 4. Three indoor world records were equalled recently in the sprint series of 50, 60 and 70-yard dashes at the New York Curb Exchange games in the 106th Brooklyn Armory. Ed Emmett Toppino and Ed Siegel won the first two heats, respectively, and Toppino won the 70 yards final.

In the other feature, Glenn Cunningham, sturdy Kansas runner, won the 800-meter special, finishing five strides ahead of Glen Dawson of Tulsa, Okla.

More than 5000 fans gave Toppino, the New Orleans flyer, a great ovation when the time of seven seconds was announced for the 70-yard final. The stocky Loyola University torpedo had equalled the record set five years ago by Loren Murchison.

LIKE STEE SPRING.

Away like a steel spring at the bark of the gun, Toppino pounded out a lead and held it to be yam, finishing two feet in front of Ed



NEGOTIATED—Picture taken during the National Hunt meeting at Cheltenham, shows a portion of the huge field in the Seven Springs Handicap hurdle race taking one of the jumps in fine style. Not a singhorse fall at this obstacle. (Photo Planet News).

WALTER HAGEN GOING TO ENGLAND

NO L.T.A. COUNCIL
MEETING TO-DAY
POSTPONED UNTIL
NEXT TUESDAY

There will be no meeting of the Council of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association to-day, according to an official announcement.

It has been postponed on account of the annual inspection of the Volunteers, and will be held on Tuesday next, April 18, at Mr. R. E. Lindsell's chambers, Supreme Court, at 5.30 p.m.

All club representatives to the Council are urged to attend this meeting in view of the importance of the agenda.

FISTIC CHAMPION TO
VISIT SHANGHAIFormer World's Title
Holder on Tour

Emile (Spider) Pladner, former flyweight champion of the world, will visit Shanghai during next month or June.

Pladner is slated to leave Paris on April 14 on a tour of Japan and Australia, and will stop off at Shanghai while en route to the Antipodes.

Pladner, although he has slipped from the top rung on which he roosted two years ago, is still accounted as one of the cleverest bantamweights in Europe. The fighting Frenchman should have little trouble in cleaning up the opposition in Japan, but will run into plenty of hot water while in Australia.

SEARCH FOR OPPONENT.

Sammy Sofoulis, match-maker for the Shanghai Auditorium, is busy looking around for scrappers good enough to take on the Frenchman, who fights anything from flyweights to featherweights. The U.S.S. Houston boasts of three good scrappers in these classes and provided a suitable opponent for Pladner can be located by the time he arrives here, it is understood that local fistic followers will see him in action.

BUT PURPOSE IS
UNKNOWN
MAY LEAD RYDER
CUP TEAMPOSSIBLE DEFEAT
OF AMERICANS

Walter Hagen, it is reported is going over to play golf in Britain this summer. But what is puzzling the experts is whether he will come at the head of the American Ryder Cup team, as member of it, or as a private individual to play in the British Open championship at St. Andrews.

Whatever his status, Hagen is assured of a great welcome from golfers here, who remember his past efforts to win British golfing laurels, and affectionately recall his fondness for showmanship while at the same time forgiving his occasional lateness for a match.

HAGEN'S LAST VISIT.

Hagen's last visit to St. Andrews was in 1921, the year made memorable by the tie between Roger Wethered and the former St. Andrews' caddie, Jack Hutchison. Wethered not only took on his ball at the thirteenth hole in the last round, a mishap which cost him a penalty stroke, but also took a poor five to the easy four obtainable at the 18th.

In that year Jim Barnes led the field at the end of the first day, while Hagen, as usual, pulled up in his last two rounds and finished in 302, the same total as Barnes. Hagen came over the following year to Sandwich, and won the championship. The next year he was second to Arthur Havers at Troon. Then he won the title again in 1924, at Hoylake.

Jim Barnes won at Troon in 1925, when Hagen did not make the trip, and Hagen was third at St. Anne to Bobby Jones in 1926. He missed St. Andrews in 1927, but won again at Sandwich in 1928 where Gene Sarazen was an unlucky second.

HIS BEST WIN.

Hagen scored his finest win at Muirfield in 1929, where in the second round, played in a storm of wind and sleet, he completed the course in 67, one of the greatest rounds ever played.

But Hagen was apparently not satisfied with this wonderful record. He once said he was going to try to emulate Harry Vardon and get his name six times into the championship cup. But he will have to hurry up as he is now 40 years old, and the younger school are thundering at his heels.

BRITAIN'S CHANCES.

"American golfers stand a bigger chance of defeat this year at the hands of British players than since the year 1924, when Walter Hagen opened the long run of American victories by capturing the British Open Championship."

That is the remarkable statement attributed to Albert R. Gates, business administrator of the American Professional Golfers' Association.

"Lack of time is what he most fears."

CROWDED SCHEDULE.

Within the space of 25 days, the American team must play in the United States Open at Chicago, he says, cross the Atlantic, meet the British in the Ryder Cup matches and then go to St. Andrews for the British Open.

That schedule, it is declared, threatens the loss of two of America's greatest international prizes. Never before have golfers been called upon to face so formidable a fight against time.

Americans have won the British Open nine years in succession—since Walter Hagen started the parade in 1924.

The Ryder Cup results are level. The British team won in 1926 and 1929; America in 1927 and 1931.

Shanghai
Interport
Soccer XISELECTED
SIDE FOR TIENTSIN

Shanghai will send an Interport soccer team to Tientsin and an S.F.A. side was selected on Friday to clash with the representatives of the Northern city at Easter. The following players have been selected to make the trip:—

Goal: Chow (Tung Hwa)
Backs: Shute (Police) and Hastie (Argylls)
Halves: Westwood (Police), Park (Police) and Hay (Argylls)
Forwards: Wyllie (Argylls), K. C. Chen (Tung Hwa), N. Z. Lee (Tung Hwa), Duffy (Police) (Captain and Manager), and Hughes (Argylls).
Reserves: Voong (Tung Hwa) and H. Madar (S.R.C.)

CORINTHIANS IN THE
AMATEUR CUPExperience Difficulty in
Arranging Games

It is now practically certain that the Corinthians will compete next season in the Amateur Cup as well as in the Football Association Cup.

There have been constant rumours that the Corinthians would no longer be permitted exemption until the Third Round of the F.A. Cup in consequence of their poor showing in recent years.

Latest reports, however, are to the effect that they will figure, as usual, in the Third Round next season and this is probably the result of the genuine endeavours to improve their standard of play.

The suggestion that they should enter the Amateur Cup is a sound one. After defeat in the F.A. Cup the Corinthians experience great difficulty in arranging first class fixtures.

This is because interest in the team quickly vanishes when they are no longer interested in the annual Cup struggle.

If the Corinthians enter the Amateur Cup and receive an average measure of success interest in the club will be sustained until practically the end of the season.

Rolla Wins Fourth Extra
Ladies' Race at North Point

The fourth extra ladies race, was sailed at North Point yesterday over a course of 4.7 miles. Details: "H" Class Started at 3.1 p.m.
Rolla 4.25.32 4.25.32 1
(Mrs. T. P. K. Kemble)
Colleen 4.32.12 4.29.04 2
(Mrs. L. Marsden)
"I" "Y" & "G" Class Started at 3.6 p.m.
Ailes 4.39.58 4.38.58 1
(Mrs. M. Bolt)
Boojum 4.41.24 4.41.00 3
(Mrs. P. Fowkes)
Toynette 4.49.15 4.43.46 4
(Miss O. Patchett)
Eunice 4.46.02 4.40.33 2
(Mrs. Dunlop)
"A" Class Started at 3.15 p.m.
Wasip II 4.49.20 5
(Mrs. Giffin)
La Lido 4.44.10 4
(Mrs. T. Mackie)
Jan 4.42.04 1
(Mrs. Krogh Moo)
Joss 4.42.51 2
(Mrs. Stanton)
Tone Blue 4.43.31 3
(Mrs. Adams)

Full results of Sunday's race round the Island are:

Imogen (1.45) 9.30 D.N.F.
(D. Marshall)
Candela (1.34) 9.41 D.N.F.
Brenda (1.15) 10. D.N.F.
(F. V. Jensen)
Cherry (1.17) 10.8 9.11.25 6
(H. B. Chambers)
Sealark (1.17) 10.8 9.06.10 5
(E. Cock)
Tavy (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.
Isle (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.
Luana (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.
Norseman (54) 10.21 D.N.F.
(L. Nicholson)
Curlew (54) 10.21 9.15.57 7
(Mr. Moustey)
Typhoon (54) 10.21 7.43.37 1
(G. Fowkes)
Tern (54) 10.21 D.N.S.
Queen Bee (54) 10.21 9.14.30 8
(Mr. Grellier)
Monsoon (54) 10.21 8.15.20 4
(H. Dullely)
Irene (45) 10.30 D.N.S.
U and I (21) 10.54 8.06.40 2
(Cmdr. Drummond)
Azura (21) 10.54 8.17.11 3
(E. Lambert)
Wanderer (5) 11 D.N.S.
La Cigala 11.15 D.N.F.
(N. Croucher)

CAER CLARK
HOCKEY
REVIEWMOST SUCCESSFUL
SEASON AS YET
PLUCKY C.B.A.RECREIO MAKE
BIG STRIDES

By "Bully-Of"
THE 1932-33 season as far as ladies' hockey is concerned has been the most successful since the Caer Clark Cup competition started in 1929; and has not been without its surprises.

One cannot but admire the "Bruce and the Spider" spirit of the C.B.A. during the year. Despite the handicap of having many inexperienced players included in their side they struggled against overwhelming odds. The season opened disastrously for them and in their first three games they lost by 12 goals to 2 to St. Andrew's, 6-0 to the Y.M.C.A. and 11-0 to the Hongkong Ladies, but in their return game with the "Y" they notched their first point in a goalless draw. From then on they improved and after going under to the Recreio by the small margin of 2-0 turned the tables on St. Andrew's last year's holders of the Southern Cup by registering a win of 2-1. It was undoubtedly this result which prevented the Saints from retaining the trophy.

RECREIO'S DISTINCTION.

Another team which is worthy of comment is the Club de Recreio, the winners of the Southern Runner's-Up Cup, who were the only team to lower the colours of the Hongkong ladies, winners of the Championship trophy for the fourth year in succession. In the first clash between these clubs the Recreio lost by the heavy margin of 8-0 but in the return match took the points with an odd goal in three wins. The only other reverse the champions experienced was at the hands of St. Andrew's who held them to a draw.

There is no doubt that the premier side in the Colony is the Hongkong Ladies whose play under the leadership of P. M. Harrop is always worth watching. They seem to have captured that knowledge of the finer points which the other teams have missed and as a result have repeated their success of preceding years with comparative ease.

Shortly after the second half of the season came the Rule 16 ramp which, I am pleased to say, did not stampede the ladies who were unanimous that if they conformed to that rule and abolished the Caer Clark Cup interest in the sport would wane.

THE GOAL SCORERS.

Following are the goal scorers in the Caer Clark Cup competition this season:
P. M. Harrop (H.K.), 12; M. Alun Jones (H.K.), 8; M. Woolley (St. A.) and P. Gittins (St. A.), 7; J. Churchill (H.K.), 6; H. Knill (H.K.), 5; A. Alves (Recreio) 4; C. Silva (Recreio), E. M. Lee (St. A.) and O. Brown ("Y"), 3; M. Chan (St. A.), M. Churn (St. A.), S. Dalziel ("Y"), E. S. Woolley (C.B.A.) and M. Smith (C.B.A.) 2; E. Blackburn (H.K.), B. M. Pope (H.K.), C. Ferguson (H.K.), C. Botelho (Recreio), M. Remedios (Recreio), O. Reseio (Recreio) 1; L. Woolley (St. A.), O. Dalziel ("Y"), and E. Carroll (C.B.A.) 1; A. Fowler ("Y") and M. Portallion ("Y"), one each, deflected into own net.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FOURTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 15th April, and on Monday, 17th April, 1933, commencing at 12.30 p.m. on both days.
The First-Bell will be rung at 12 Noon.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.
No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.
Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for Payment of All Chits, &c.
The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 10.30 a.m. on both days.
Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.
On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.
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By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 10th April, 1933.

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PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the Third Extra Race Meeting to be held in Macao on Sunday, 23rd April, 1933, may be obtained at the Sports Club, Hongkong Jockey Club Stables, or at the offices of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, 6, Des Voeux Road Central.
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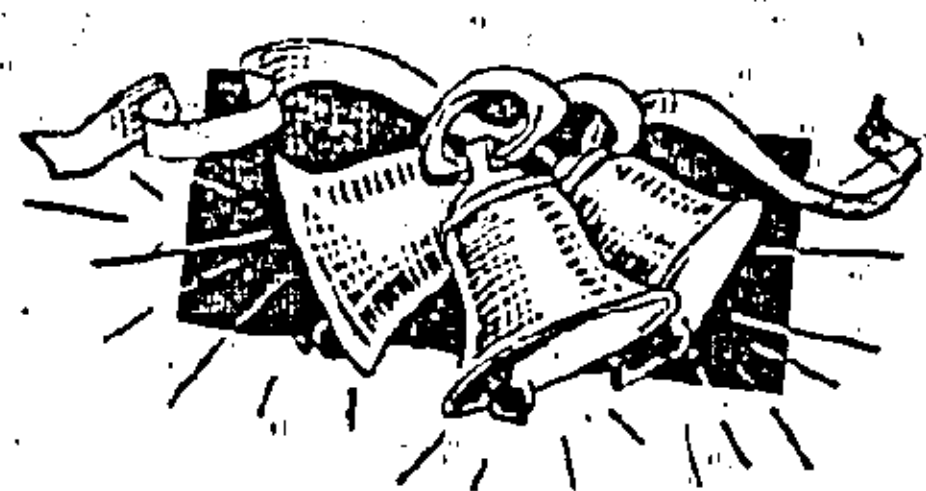
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TRIANGULAR TIE

ARMY & CLUB ON LEVEL TERMS

By defeating the Navy in the Triangular Tournament yesterday the Army tied with the Hongkong Club for first place, both teams having won two, lost one and drawn one. The civilians, goal average is the superior only by a decimal point.

The match was played on the Naval ground at King's Park with the two sides fielding their strongest available teams. The Navy players had a large majority of the Midway team which is undoubtedly the best naval side in the Colony. The Army were more representative and fielded besides British players, four of the leading players of the 1st Regiment. Throughout the match was full of exciting play with each goal being visited in turn. During the opening exchanges both custodians were called upon to save what appeared certain goals and when the teams changed ends there was no score.

However, the Army asserted their superiority in the second half and scored twice to their opponents' single point.

The final standing of the teams follows:

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Hongkong H.C.	4	2	1	1	14	11	5
Army	4	2	1	1	10	9	6
Navy	4	2	2	2	10	14	2

FRIENDLY MATCH.

Hongkong Hockey Club Juniors
Beat Jat Seconds.

Playing on the Marina the Hongkong Hockey Club second eleven met the junior team of the Jat Regiment and won four goals to three. The civilians held the lead by the odd goal in three at the interval and at one time lead by three goals to one and then four goals to two.

THE FANLING HUNT

MR. FIELD WINS IN POINT TO POINT

The Fanling season closed on Sunday with an excellent point-to-point arranged by Mr. A. H. Potts. The course was over about seven miles of first class hunting country, and the flags being few and far between, a good knowledge of the country was required.

Sixteen riders faced the starter at Souza's Bungalow, and of these less than half completed the course. The first part of the run was a big left-handed circle back to the Portuguese Golf Course, across the main road, and then on to Step Pass. There the line went left, again across the river. At this point Mr. Potts had a lead of nearly half a mile, but came to grief at the ford. From here the leaders kept fairly well bunched along the foothills to the Fanling Golf Course, where another left-handed turn brought the field into the home stretch back to "Pott's Look-out."

A quarter of a mile from home there was nothing to choose between the first five, but this number was reduced to four when Mr. Jenkins tried to emulate Absalom when passing a low hanging tree. Mr. Field then brought Jan Stever into the lead, and though Miss Master on White Star made a great effort to catch him, managed to win comfortably. A terrific battle for third place ensued between Mr. Evans and Mr. Pankhurst, the latter just losing his way home.

Miss Betty Fair made a welcome return to Fanling, and was heard to remark afterwards that she found the ground as hard as ever! Her sister had her first introduction to a China pony, and we understand that she thinks an enforced bath in the middle of the run is a great idea for keeping cool. The result was:

1. Jan Stever, Mr. Field.
2. White Star, Miss Master.
3. Mahadi, Mr. Pankhurst.

Distance—Two lengths; three lengths.

KOWLOON GOLF.

Four Matches Played in Foursomes Competition.

In the first round of the foursomes competition organised by the Kowloon Golf Club, Stewart and Milne (16) beat G. Angus and F. Angus (29) one up, and Becker and Dorrington (14) won from Thomson and Wilson (6) by two up.

Two matches were also played in the second round, the results being as follows:—Bosen and Andrews (36) beat Cave and McKnight (20) by four and three, and Planner and Woolley (13) beat Stoker and McNider (29) one up.

TO-MORROW'S SOCCER.

Fixtures in First and Third Divisions.

The Hongkong Football Association notifies that the following League matches will be played to-morrow:
Division I—Hongkong v. Police, Club ground, at 5 p.m.
Division III—Royal Corps of Signals v. R.A.F., Chatham Road, at 4.30 p.m.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.

H'kong Banks, \$1750 b.
H'kong Banks, Lon., \$119½ n.
Chartered Banks, \$18½ n.
Mercantile Bank, "A. & B."

\$24½ n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$9½ n.

East Asia, \$100 n.

Am. O. Finance Corp., M. \$20 n.

China O. Fin. Ord., Tls. 4.85 n.

China A. Fin. Pref., Tls. 4.60 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$1360 b.

Union Ins., \$560 sa.

China Underwriters, \$2.35 n.

China Fire \$620 n.

H.K. Fire Ins., \$1275 n. x. d.

International Assoc., Tls. 3¼ n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$32½ b.

H.K. Steamboats, \$22 n.

Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) \$25 n.

Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$20 n.

Shells (Bearer), 48/3 n.

Union Waterboats, \$20¼ n.

Mining.

Benguet, \$20 sa.

Kallans, 21/6 n.

Langkats (Single), Tls. 7 n.

S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.

S'hai Loans, Tls. 2.30 n.

Raub, \$9½ n.

Venz: Goldfields, \$4.20 n.

Benguet Exp., 27 cts b.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$131 n.

H.K. Docks, \$18½ n.

S. China Motors A., \$10 n.

S. China Motors B., \$8 n.

Providents (old), \$4.10 s.

Providents (new), \$1.40 n.

Hongkew, Tls. 225 n.

New Engineering, Tls. 5.50 n.

Shanghai Docks, Tls. 95 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. & S. Hotels, \$670 b.

H.K. Lands, \$73 sa.

S'hai Lands, Tls. 22 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.

Humphreys, \$14 n.

H.K. Realities \$7 n.

Asia Realities "A", M. \$140 n.

Asia Realities "B", M. \$22 n.

Chinese Estates, \$95 b.

China Realities, Tls. 10 n.

China Debentures, Tls. 98 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 11.50 n.

S'hai Cottons, Tls. 7½ n.

Zoong Sings, Tls. 10.75 n.

Wing On Textiles (S.), \$103 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, 21½ sa.

Peak Trams (old), \$16.20 n.

Peak Trams, (new) \$8 n.

Star Ferries, \$91 n.

Yamati Ferries (old), \$32 b.

Yamati Ferries (new), \$31½ b.

China Lights (old), \$12 b.

China Lights (new), \$11½ n.

H.K. Electrics \$72 sa.

Macao Electrics \$25½ n.

Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.

Telephones (old), \$27.20/30 sa.

China Buses, Tls. 10 n.

Singapore Tractions, 2/- n.

Singapore Pref. 12/- n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars \$15 n.

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Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls. 10½ n.

Canton Ice, \$6 n.

Cements (Com), \$7.05 b.

Cements (old), \$5½ n.

Cements (new), \$1½ n.

H.K. Ropes, \$9½ n.

Agriculturals, 7 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$27 sa.

Watsons \$8 n.

Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.

Lane Crawfords, \$4¼ n.

Mackintoshes, \$21 n.

Sineries \$15½ n.

Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$220 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$12½ n.

H.K. Entertainments, \$12 n.

S.C. Enterprises, \$3¼ n.

United Theatres, Tls. 4 n.

Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.

Constructions (old), \$3.75 s.

Constructions (new), 90 cts n.

B. Ind. G5 Bonds, \$68¼½ n.

H.K. Govt. Loans, \$5¼½ n.

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Wallace Harpers, \$9 n.

PLANE MISSING.

ANOTHER MAKES FORCED LANDING

Nanking, April 9.
Two aeroplanes of the Chinese Air Force, which left Loyang for Nanking on Saturday, both failed to arrive. One of the planes made a forced landing near Tangshan along the Lunghai Railway owing to engine trouble with the result that one of the two pilots on the plane was seriously injured.

The whereabouts of the second machine are not known. A plane has been sent from here to search for the missing aeroplane.—Reuter.

SOCCER SERIES.

China Defeats Portugal in First Game.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.
Displaying superior combination and better shooting, the Chinese soccer players defeated Portugal to-day by 7 goals to 2, in the first match of a series of three games between China and Portugal.—Reuter.

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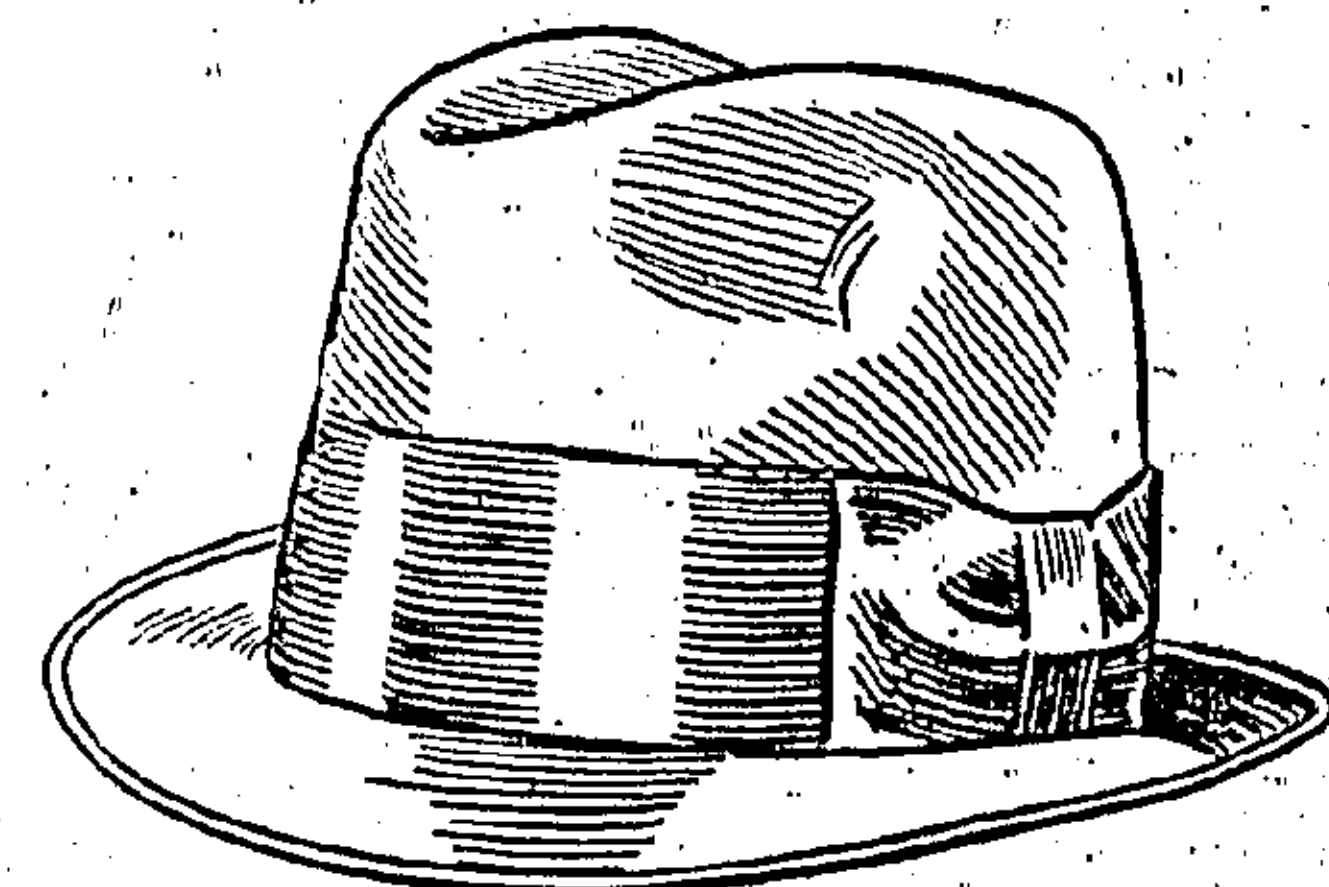
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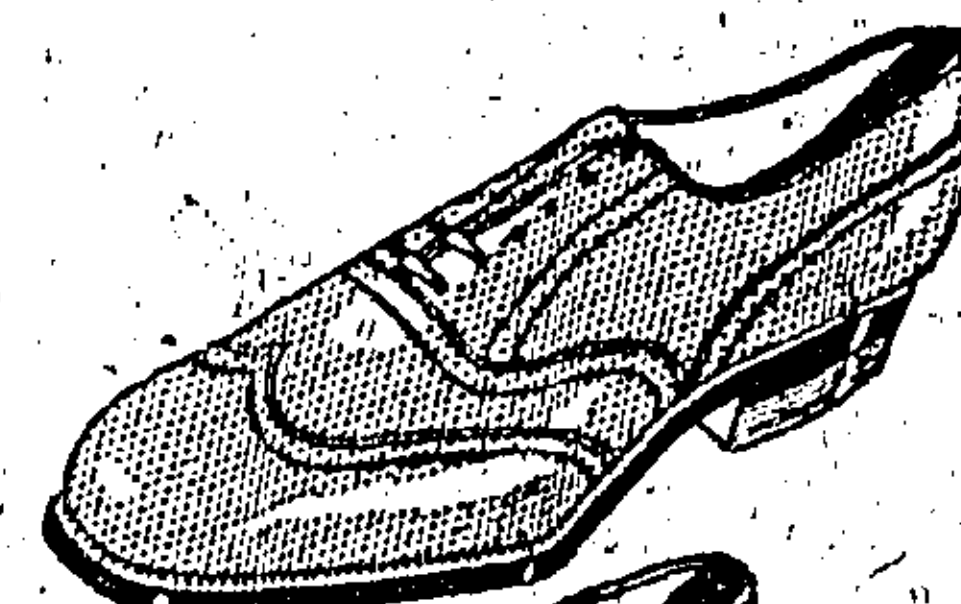
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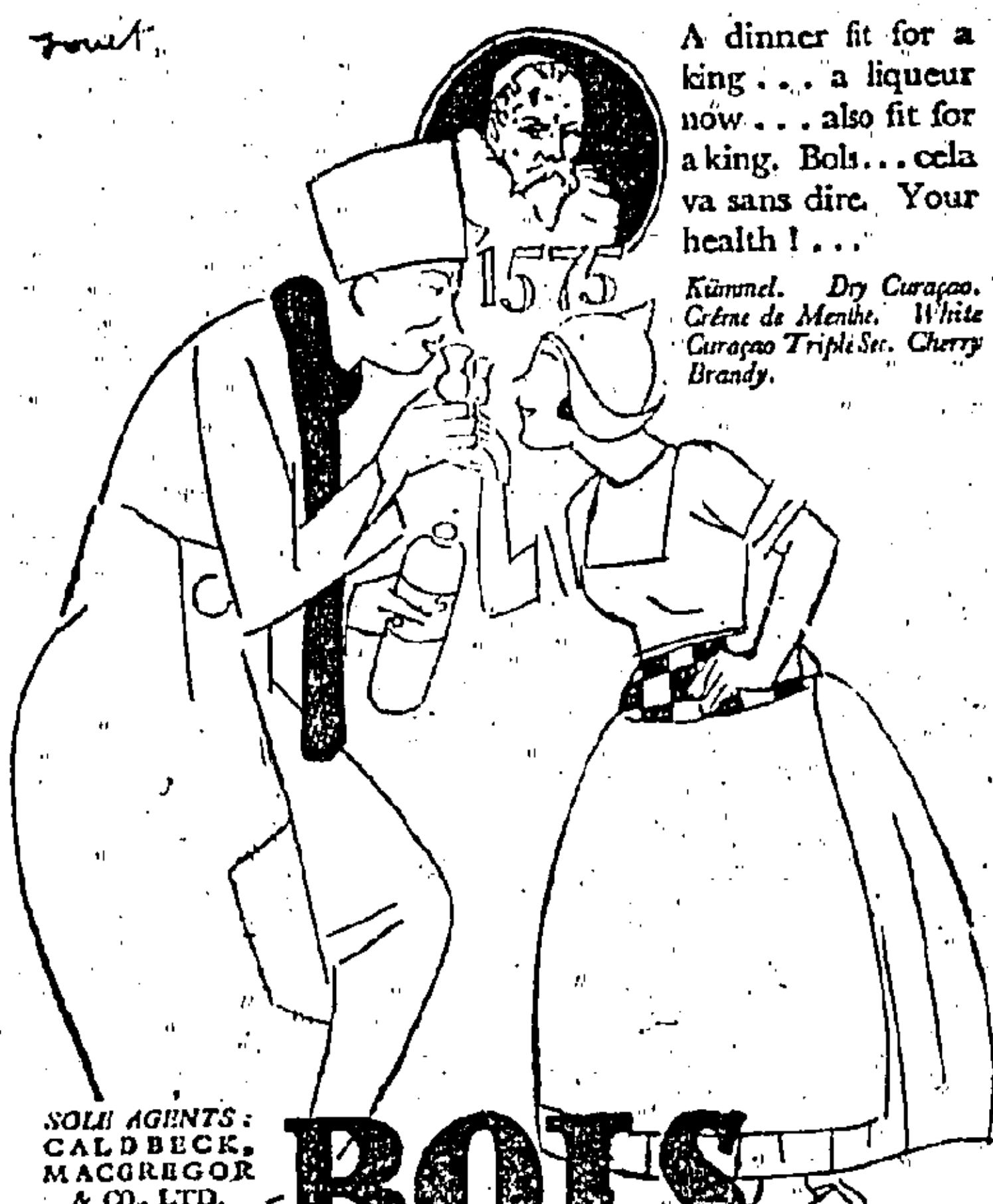
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An actual occurrence in the annals of Arizona history forms the basis of "Robbers' Roost," the George O'Brien-Maureen O'Sullivan feature coming to the King's Theatre on Thursday. In writing the original novel, Zane Grey drew on the "hijacking" of a wealthy British rancher's herd some thirty years as the theme around which he wove an unusual type of romance. On the screen the stealing is done by William Pawley as the unsuspecting rancher's foreman, with O'Brien an unwilling member of his gang. Reginald Owen portrays the rancher with Maude O'Sullivan as his sister. Prominent Eburne as their aunt. Prominent roles are handled by Walter McGrath, Robert Greig and Doris Lloyd. Louis King directed the film at the locale of the original event.

"Three Wise Girls" A story of three girls, who loved not wisely but too well is told in "Three Wise Girls," a Columbia feature, showing from Thursday next at the Queen's Theatre. Mae Clarke, Jean Harlow and Marie Prevost are the three young ladies, who are glorified in this picture, which is one of those smartly produced, sophisticated comedy dramas. Out for all they can get, Cassie, Dot and Gladys thought they could play with fire and not get burned. They come to the big city to make good. Love, his them all with varying results—for Gladys it is tragedy; for Cassie it is blissful happiness after a great deal of misunderstanding; and for Dot it hits her so that she doesn't know whether she's coming or going. The men in question are played by Walter Byron, Jameson Thomas and Andy Devine. Walter Byron, the Jerry Dexter of Cassie's adventure, falls in love with the beautiful Cassie. Byron is a model, but neglects to tell her he is married. He is working on his divorce. When Cassie learns what's what, she is advised by the worldly Gladys (Mae Clarke) who is being "kept" by Arthur Phelps, a wealthy, married banker, to give him up. Cassie does so and is convinced of the wisdom of his decision when Gladys returns, turned to his wife. Cassie returns home, fed up with city life. Jerry proves that Cassie misjudged him by coming to Cassie with the happy news that his wife has agreed to divorce him. Sparkling comedy, romantic drama and interesting performances make this a film that should go on your program of entertainment.

"We and My Gal" Spencer Tracy has been promoted. After playing numerous "harness bull" roles in many pictures, he appears as a radio car detective in "We and My Gal," the Fox comedy coming to the King's Theatre very shortly. At this capacity he breaks up a gang of bank robbers and racketeers, earns a substantial reward for bringing to justice a merciless killer and finds romance with a pretty young cashier employed in a restaurant, a role enacted by Joan Bennett. "We and My Gal" was directed by Raoul Walsh, who transferred to the screen such outstanding productions as "The Yellow Ticket," "The Man Who Came Back" and "Wild Girl."

"American Madness" Columbia has taken a daring and sensational theme, closest to everyone's heart to-day, and from it turned out an exciting melodrama, which deserves a high ranking in any list of the best pictures of this year—or any other year, for that matter. "American Madness" is now at the Queen's Theatre. A powerful dramatic characterization by that splendid actor, Walter Huston, as a courageous and human bank president, who fights valiantly to protect the savings of his depositors and to hold the love of his young wife, is the backbone of "American Madness." Huston's performance is one of the finest he has yet brought to the screen, comparable in its acting quality with his memorable portrayal of Abraham Lincoln. But it is the fast moving pace, the feeling that here is something very close to life going on before our eyes, the exciting spectacle of more than a thousand frenzied persons struggling and trampling one another down, and the human problems in the background of the main characters, that make "American Madness" such a noteworthy offering.

"Street Scene" William Collier, Jr. is one of the youngest stars in "Street Scene," the Samuel Goldwyn picture showing at the King's Theatre to-day. Hollywood still calls him "Buster" Collier. In appearing with Sylvia Sydney and Estelle Taylor in "Street Scene," the young Collier once more assumes the status of a pioneer. For this Elmer Rice prize drama, which ran two years in New York, is the first screen play to be filmed in a single set. It is also the first play to be brought intact from stage to screen and the first to be filmed without interiors. Needless to say, it is entirely in dialogue.

"Say It With Music" The fictional origin of the famous melody, "Say It With Music," Jack Payne's signature tune, makes an interesting story for the presentation of Jack Payne and his band in their first film at the Central Theatre to-day. It appears that in the early part of the war, Payne and the composer, Philip Weston, were in the Air Force mess one day and he had been entertaining the boys by playing the popular numbers of the time. Weston had told Payne to stop playing such horrible music, and jesting, Payne had made a bet that Weston could not compose and play something that would sound as good. His friend had accepted the bet and soon all the boys were singing or whistling the melody picked out slowly by Weston. Payne, realizing the tune's possibilities, had jotted the notes down on an envelope, and so, "Say It With Music" came into being. At the time of its birth, however, an air raid warning had come through and Weston's plane had crashed, leaving him with severe concussion and loss of memory. Years later they meet again, and Payne, more famous, discovers that Weston, is still struggling to make himself known as a composer of symphonies. He remembers nothing of his war-time composition that is now known throughout the world as Jack Payne's signature tune when appearing on the stage or broadcasting. How Payne brings fame to his friend makes intriguing entertainment. The direction by Jack Raymond is splendid, combining, as it does, the wonderful staging of Payne and his band with a human story. Payne, himself is a fascinating screen discovery.

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LOVE OR MONEY?

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to his club so he gave it to me. He knows we have a large family."

Mona laughed slightly. Cliff Hart was a friend of Lottie's. Rather a good sort, too. Lots of money, funny, roguish eyes, twinkling gray-blue.

This rather dashing young man, in a humorous frame of mind, had insisted on driving Mona home via Brooklyn bridge. The party had been in 71st street.

"Yeah, he did it for the family!" Bud began derisively.

"Children," Ma softly interposed. She filled Bud's plate with crisp bacon and carefully browned potatoes.

"Eat a real meal now, Min. I declare, you're as skinny as a rail."

"And," Bud rapped out, "it ain't so stylish!"

Kitty appeared, cozy in her blue bathrobe, her hair tousled and face flushed from sleep, demanding her orange juice. She moved kitchen-ward with a backward glance over the lifted rim of her glass and at once engaged in conversation with Ma concerning a talk at school on the subject of vitamins.

"You are early, Bud," Mona remarked with lowered voice.

"Everything all right?"

Bud's eyes shifted and he looked at his sister uneasily. "Yeah."

There was a pause. Mona knew what that meant.

"It's up Fordham way. I'll need carfare, Min."

"Bud I've got 50 cents to last until to-night. There is carfare, there is lunch and a shine."

"Make one of your swell friends buy your lunch."

The girl's lips tightened. "I don't do that, Bud."

"Well, they buy you dinner—"

"That's different. I'm out of the office then. And I don't dine

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office." It was one of Mona's unbreakable rules. She had heard Mr. Garretson thus instruct a younger lawyer. "Never play round with an employee or a client."

There were plenty of others to show Mona attentions. Yes, but they didn't invite her to lunch. "I'll give you 15 cents and that's that," Mona announced after an unsatisfactory inspection of her purse. "You must have something with you."

"There's a quarter on the shelf Bud can take," Ma called in quickly. "I have ice, and milk, and there's fruit—"

"Don't give him any money, Ma," threw in Kitty unexpectedly.

"Make him walk to Fordham. Do him good. Or—pertly—"get that girl of his to give him a lift in her car."

The conversation at the table ceased abruptly.

"Who says I've got a girl with a car?" Bud inquired in surprise.

"I say so," Kitty appeared in the doorway, conscious of the backing of her mother who had followed her in innocent interest and stood close at hand. "I say so and so does Isabel Flynn. We saw you yesterday at the corner."

"Oh," Bud's face lost all interest. He attacked the food on his plate with renewed energy.

"That was Rus Webber's wife. Rus was buying a pack of cigarettes, My girl!"

"A fine girl, Gerlie Webber is, too," Ma remarked. "Rus was lucky to get her. I well remember the day."

Her voice in a rush of reminiscence floated back from an increasing distance. She was in the kitchen getting her purse.

"Wasn't she the girl whose mother wanted a baby with curly hair?" asked Mona amusedly.

"Like yours and Alice's."

"Like ours. And didn't her mother sew bought curls in her bonnet so people seeing her in her carriage—"

"Blond curls and the baby's own hair black as the ace of spades," her mother amended. "That was Gerlie. But for all that she grew up to be good-looking, curls or no curls."

"She doesn't wear false hair now," Bud remarked defensively.

Rus Webber was a good guy. If he married a straight-haired dame then straight hair was the ticket. Bud would hear nothing that sounded like a reflection on Rus or his bride.

"What is your new job—a garage job?" Mona asked as Ma disappeared with the coffee pot.

Bud shifted. "Yeah. Something like that. It may be night work. I've got to show up this morning, anyhow."

His eyes, avoiding hers, attached themselves to a spot on the table cloth. He drank his coffee moodily.

Mona rose, put her chair back in its place, picked up her coat, slid into it, and took up her purse and gloves. She was at the door when Bud called suddenly:

"Guess who I saw yesterday, Min?"

He was regarding her shrewdly as if his news was of great import. A smile hovered over his lips. He rose from his chair.

"I haven't the least idea, Bud. I don't know your friends."

"Your friend, Min." He came a step or two nearer.

She was frankly puzzled. Their social activities were as far apart as the poles. "A friend of mine?"

"I'll say a friend of yours, Min." Bud's voice dropped insinuatingly. He took a step nearer his sister.

"Well?"

Already she knew what Bud was about to tell her. She grasped the knob of the door for support.

"Steve's back, Min. Old Steve—he's back!"

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INQUEST ON TEACHER'S
FATAL MISHAP

The relationship between Kwok Hung-ki, a young salesman employed by Messrs. Goeke and Co. Young Wai-yuk, the school teacher who died as the result of an accident on March 11, and her younger sister Young Wai-yuk, were investigated by Mr. Schofield and a Coroner's jury, at the continued inquest at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, in appearing in the interests of Kwok Hung-ki, the alleged driver of the car, who is at present on trial on two charges alleging the theft by bailment of a car from a rent collector, and obtaining £1,000 by a forged cheque at the American Express Company. Mr. R. A. Wadson is holding a watching brief on behalf of Mr. Li Yee, owner of the car involved in the smash.

The jury empanelled comprised Messrs. C. F. Andrews (foreman), Wong Ping-kwan, and Teoi Nai-shing.

Mr. Tai Hon-nam, Manager of the Tai On Accident and Insurance Co., Ltd., deposed to Kwok Hung-ki taking out a policy for £5,000 against personal accident. He paid the premium of \$60 per annum on March 2.

Replying to the Coroner, on a question suggested by Traffic Inspector C. F. Alexander, the witness said that even if the policy holder died within a few weeks of taking out the insurance, his or her next-of-kin would be entitled to the full sum.

The Coroner—What would happen if the policy holder lost an eye or a leg or suffered other personal injury within the first few weeks?—The money payable would be half the face value of the policy.

Witness added that Kwok had been introduced by Chan Tsim-shun, a broker employed by witness, who had introduced many clients.

Injured Sister in Box.

Young Wai-yuk, 20, the school girl who has just recovered from her injuries sustained in the smash, was assisted to the witness box by her step-mother. Witness was provided with a seat from where she told her story to the Court.

She said she lived on the third floor of 1, Anton Street, with her father and step-mother. She had one younger brother and seven younger sisters. Deceased was 23 years of age and was her elder sister. Deceased was a teacher at the Young Chung School, Causeway Road, and witness attended the Bellflower Girls School. She had known Kwok Hung-ki since December last year, having been introduced by a man named Mok. Neither witness nor her sister was engaged to be married and their friendship with Kwok was an ordinary acquaintance.

On witness's return with Kwok from a day's trip to Macao in January last year, they had a quarrel. She and her elder sister had heard rumours that Kwok had been speaking words about them which gave them offence.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, at this stage, drew the Court's attention to the fact that witness appeared to be reading something from her hand.

His Worship investigated and found that what the witness held in her hand was only a photograph of her deceased sister.

Continuing, witness said that her quarrel with Kwok was of a serious nature. Her sister joined in the quarrel. Both girls often went to the Fiat Garage, where Kwok worked, and on each occasion they rebuked him. Between the day of the quarrel and the accident, she had not been for rides in Kwok's car. On February 15 Kwok telephoned and that same night she went and scolded him.

Kwok Married.

Replying to the Coroner, witness said she knew Kwok Hung-ki was married. She saw his wife when she paid a visit to his residence 357, Hennessy Road.

Coming to the day of the mishap, witness said that the day previous,

PEER GYNT

INTERESTING TALK BY
REV. TRIBBECK

Henrik Ibsen's great dramatic work "Peer Gynt" formed the subject of a most interesting discourse given by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck to many members of St. Andrew's Club in the St. Andrew's Church Hall last night. The lecture was accompanied by musical selections from Greig's Peer Gynt Suite. "Peer Gynt" is a fantasy woven on the folklore of the author's own country, Norway.

Ibsen, said the lecturer, was born in 1828 and died in 1906. He was the world's greatest dramatist then but his works were not so well known as they deserved to be. Greig at first refused to compose the suite, but after reading the play "Peer Gynt" he saw its possibilities. The play was first performed in 1876 and it was understood by the Norwegians as an enterprise of national love and national institutions.

The play was later translated into English, German and French. "Peer Gynt," as a play, had five acts with 22 scenes, and this might be one of the reasons why it was not produced in England in full, except, may be, only in repertoires.

At the conclusion of the lecture, The Vicar (Rev. W. Walton Rogers) thanked Mr. Tribbeck for his entertaining evening. Referring to the play, the speaker said that Bernard Shaw was supposed to have based his works and teachings on Ibsen. He advised listeners to read the book.

March 10, Kwok telephoned that he would be coming the next day. On March 11 he called about noon. Her father was out at the time. She knew the car belonged to Li Lee, but she did not ask Kwok how he obtained the car that morning. Together with her sister all three sat in the front seat with Kwok at the wheel. They drove to Aberdeen via Shaukiwan. On reaching the incline at Shaukiwan, the sisters again rebuked Kwok and they quarrelled for quite a distance.

They stopped at Aberdeen for three-quarters of an hour. Kwok left the car for a while, and she and her sister remained, but later left to purchase something to eat. They returned to the car and ate there.

On Kwok's return he told them he was in a hurry to return to his shop. They sat as before—all three in the front seat. It appeared to her he drove in his usual satisfactory manner and no conversation was maintained between them. He started off, however, at 40 miles per hour. She ascertained this by looking at the speedometer and questioned him about it. He said nothing, and she again asked: "Why so fast? Better be careful." He then replied: "There is someone behind, chasing us." She looked back, but could see no other car on the road. She told him about it.

"Deliberate Act."

When they proceeded downhill, he had not relaxed the speed. Just before the crash they were taking a sharp left-hand bend. The next thing she recalled was being on the ground and she could feel she was amongst grass. She was able to raise herself into a sitting position and immediately felt a pain shooting through her right leg. She could still retain a notion of what happened, but started to wonder how she came to fall. She could remember having been in a car. "My first impression," witness told the Court, "was that Kwok had deliberately injured us by precipitating us over the road."

She did not call for help, but beckoned to people to come to her assistance. She heard the noise of many people moving about. Then some men came up to her and carried her—whither she could not say but could recollect that she told them to be careful as there was that pain in her right leg. Not until some time after her admission to Hospital had full consciousness returned, and she then saw her sister lying on another bed.

The hearing at this stage was further adjourned.

THE LATE MR. R. J. STEVENS.

FUNERAL AT
HAPPY VALLEY

The funeral of the late Mr. R. J. Stevens, of the Far East Aviation Company, who was recently killed in an aeroplane crash at Liuchow, took place at Happy Valley yesterday evening.

In the large attendance were the Directors of the Far East Aviation Company and colleagues, representatives of the British Army and of both branches of the Royal Air Force, and representatives of the Chinese National Government, National Army, the Kwangsi Government, and the Kwangsi Air Force.

The remains were encased in a costly Chinese coffin, which was draped with the Union Jack. The Rev. N. V. Halward read the services at the graveside.

Present were the bereaved widow, Mrs. R. J. Stevens, and mother-in-law, Mrs. de Biero; Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, Chairman of Directors of the Far Eastern Aviation Co.; Messrs. D. H. Stevens, A. V. Harvey, A. Ritchie, and D. S. Scott (Directors); H. A. Howes, D. J. Lewis, E. M. Hazeland and N. V. Croucher; General Lam Wai-shing, Commandant of the Kwangsi Air Force representing also the Chinese National Government and Kwangsi Government; Flight Captains Dang Yuk-kenn and Ma Sze-yin, of the Kwangsi Air Force; Squadron Leader Woods and other members of the Royal Naval Air Force, members of the Royal Air Force; representatives of the British Army and a number of other civilians, including some ladies.

The many wreaths sent included the following:

Wreaths were sent by Mother, Muriel and Eunice; Edith; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bennett; Mrs. and the Misses Blair; Col. and Mrs. L. G. Bird, Lt. and Mrs. K. U. Beard, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Carlos; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dudman, Mr. and Mrs. R. Vaughan Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hazeland, Capt. and Mrs. A. V. Harvey, Miss Pamela Scott Harston, Capt. and Mrs. J. Lothian, and Jimmy; Chief Inspector and Mrs. R. H. E. Marks; Flight Lieut. and Mrs. A. J. R. Moss, and Mrs. A. Prisma, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, Miss D. H. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. N. Tinson, Mrs. G. V. Stubbings and Eileen, Lt. and Mrs. J. A. V. Wroughton;

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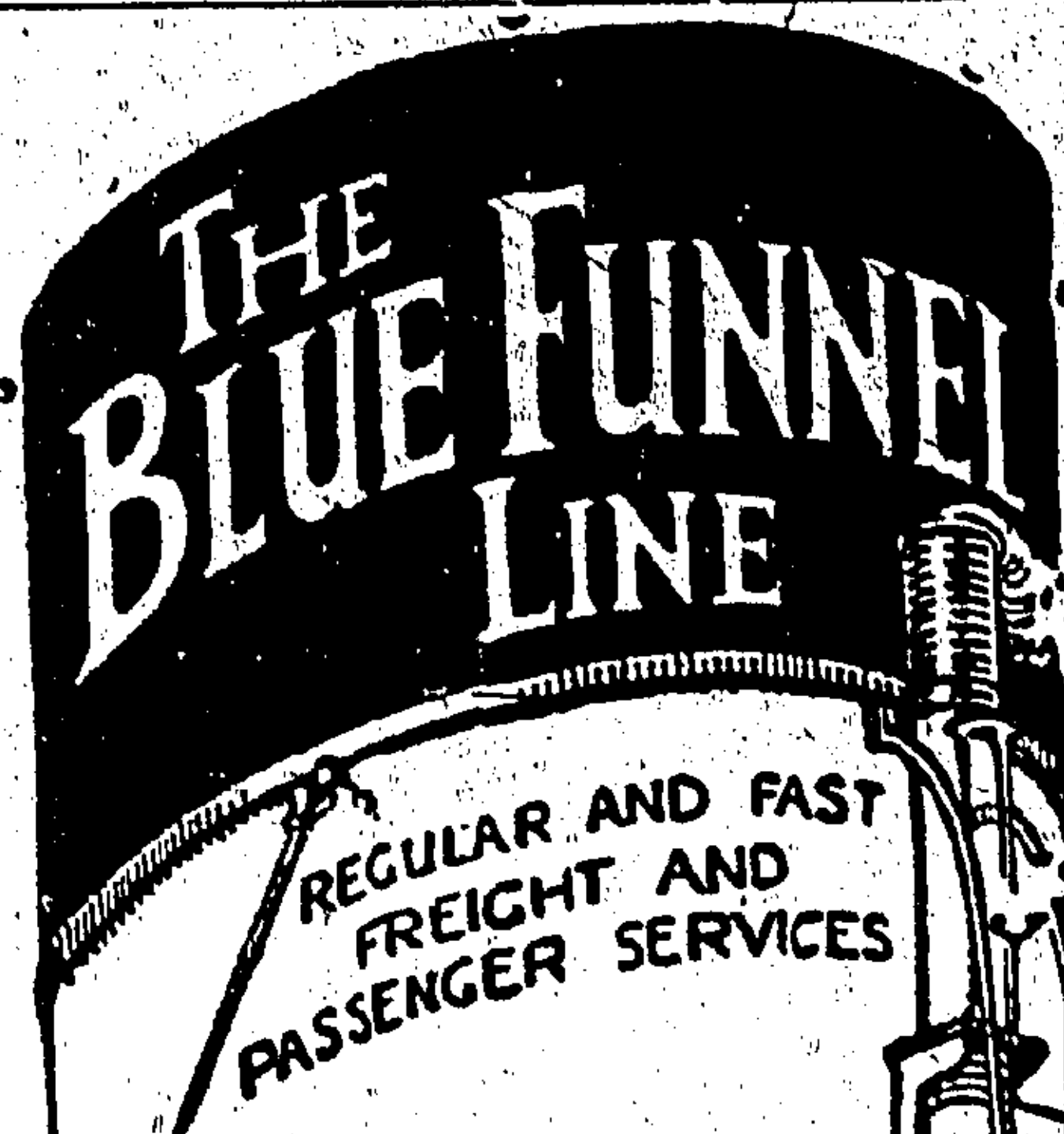
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New York, Apr. 10.
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—Reuter.



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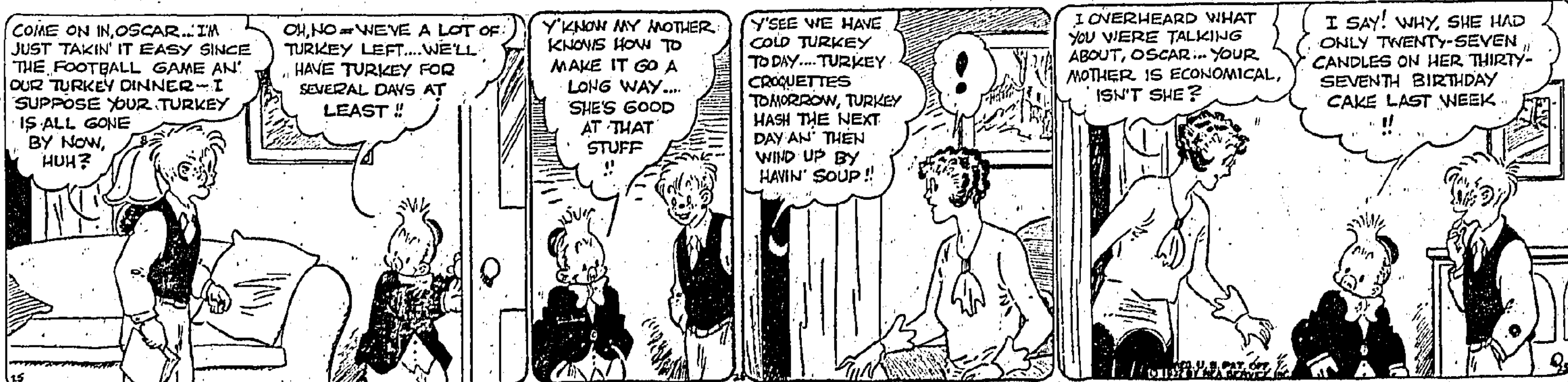
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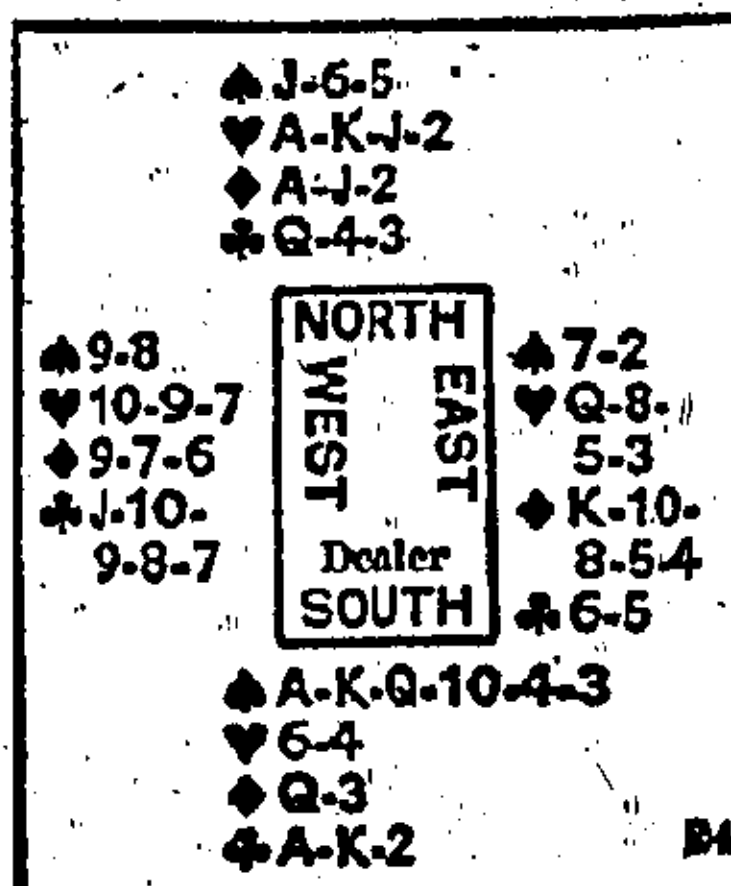
By W. E. McKenney

You could not appreciate how popular bridge is in America unless you saw the thousands of people who enjoy bridge in the parks at St. Petersburg, Fla.

This city has a number of open air sunshine clubs where card tables, chairs and cards are furnished to tourists desiring to play. On windy days they furnish little sticks with each table to keep the cards from blowing away.

In one park alone I have seen as many as 250 tables in play in one afternoon, and was surprised in strolling from one table to another to find not a single group playing for a stake. Everyone was playing for sociability and love of the game.

One afternoon in one of the parks I was giving a demonstration of blindfold bridge. Mr. Cotton consented to play at one table. He was sitting in the South and this is the hand that was dealt to him.



The Bidding

Mr. Cotton in the South opened with one spade. His partner bid two no trump. Mr. Cotton, having control of only two suits, could not invite a slam as yet, and decided to show his length in spades, so responded with three spades.

North, knowing that his partner has a solid spade suit of at least five cards due to the re-bid, decided that he would show the heart suit before supporting the spade, and bid four hearts. Mr. Cotton correctly figured that as he held the ace and king of clubs, his partner must have something in diamonds in order to bid two no trump.

Therefore he bid five clubs. North responded with five diamonds. That was sufficient for Mr. Cotton, who immediately plunged into seven spades.

I was now shown the declarer's hand, and the dummy. I had previously looked at the two hands at the other table I was to play at the same time. I was then 'blindfolded' and here is the play as it came up at Mr. Cotton's table.

The Play.

West opened with the jack of clubs. I directed the queen to be played from dummy. Two rounds of trump were taken which drew all of the opponents' trump.

On the next spade play, East signalled in diamonds by dropping the eight and then on the fourth spade play, when I discarded the deuce of hearts in dummy, he dropped the eight of hearts, thus echoing in hearts. I now realized that neither finesse would work and the only chance to make the contract was to resort to the play known as the Vienna coup.

My next play was a small diamond which was won in dummy

FIGHTING AGAIN RESUMED

JAPANESE DRIVE ACROSS WALL

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

Reports from Chinchow state that a Japanese detachment, supported by the Hattori brigade, has been ordered to assault an offensive to cross the Great Wall and attack the flank of the rear of fifty thousand Chinese troops which are menacing the Japanese at Linkow.—Reuter.

Offensive Launched.

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

The Japanese offensive was launched this morning at four points along the Great Wall. A War Office spokesman asserts it is a purely local operation for the purpose of adjusting the line.—Reuter.

Heavy Fighting.

Tokyo, Apr. 10.

Messages from Hailieng state that heavy fighting continued throughout the day. The Chinese were twice dislodged from their position at Sahochiao. The Japanese objective is to drive the Chinese beyond the artillery range of the Great Wall.—Reuter's Special.

At Chingwangtao.

Peking, Apr. 10.

The Chinese reinforcements sent over prior to the week-end appear to have turned the scale against the Manchukuo attackers who are now retreating in the direction of Shihmenchiao.

Chinese troops are pursuing.—Reuter.

China Association

London, Apr. 10.

The China Association's hope that early Sino-Japanese negotiations will terminate the conflict, was expressed by the Chairman, Mr. S. F. Meyers, at the annual meeting to-day.

Expressing pleasure at the appointment of non-Japanese advisers to Manchuria as evidence of the open door principles he said they would not be disregarded there.

In a tribute to the successful work of the Nanking Yung, particularly on the financial side, even to achieving a reduction of military expenditure, Mr. Meyers thought these improvements at a time of grave conflict with Japan, encouraged the belief that once the conflict was settled there would be an opportunity for Britain to demonstrate her willingness to cooperate in Chinese reconstruction.

He was glad that the League adviser was assisting in the reorganisation of the Civil Service, on whose integrity the devotion to duty, strength and stability of a country largely depended.—Reuter.

Chiang Kai-Shek

Shanghai, Apr. 9.

It is learned that the Communist menace in Kiangsi is delaying indefinitely General Chiang Kai-Shek's return to North China, while pressure of work is similarly keeping Mr. Wang Ching-wei in Nanking.—Reuter.

with the ace. A club was returned and won in the South with the king. The ace of clubs was played and East was forced to discard the five of diamonds. The deuce of diamonds was discarded from dummy on the ten of spades, and East discarded the ten of diamonds.

The four of spades was led and

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 1st May, 1933, or they will not be recognised.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th April, 1933, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

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dummy's jack of diamonds discarded, and now East, was helpless. If he discarded his king of diamonds, the queen in the South hand would be good, while if he discarded a heart, as was done in this case, dummy's three hearts were good and the grand slam was made.

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FUTILE ENTERPRISES

"Smoke on the Horizon." Mediterranean Fighting, 1914-1918. By Vice-Admiral C. V. Osborne, C.B., C.M.G. Hodder and Stoughton, 18s. net.

Admiral Osborne, in this extraordinarily interesting book, "Smoke on the Horizon," brings to bear on his subject the wide, as well as detailed knowledge which must always be at the disposal of the Director of Naval Intelligence, a post which the author has recently relinquished at the Admiralty.

When such great knowledge is reinforced by an admirable and lucid style of narration, the great events which he chronicles can hardly fail to interest a wide public outside the Navy and Army.

The story of the sortie of the Goeben and Breslau will do nothing to diminish the historic fame of these two splendidly handled and magnificently constructed German ships. The Goeben, by her extraordinary escape from Messina in the face of overwhelming British ships, provides, like the Battle of Jutland, a terrible indictment of the naval doctrine of "The Fleet in Being" as an acceptable alternative to the traditional doctrine of decisive action.

I may be mistaken, but I can hardly doubt that most naval officers and laymen will read this book with mingled feelings of admiration and sadness which at times will develop into something akin to anger. In every incident recorded, with the exception of the submarine activities in the Marmora, we find the heroism and devotion of officers and men thrown away on enterprises which a rudimentary knowledge of naval strategy would have dismissed instantly.

The great fleet of "pre-Dreadnought" ships, derided by Lord Fisher as prehistoric, were turned into battle practice targets for what Admiral Osborne describes as some of the most powerful fortifications in the world. Travellers, manned by gallant ratings and fishermen, were exposed to no purpose to the withering fire, at almost point-blank range, of shore batteries.

In the absence of convoy, resisted by the Admiralty, hundreds of merchant ships were sunk at leisure by German submarines. Von Arnault alone sank five troop transports and 125 steamships in all 500,000 tons, and it is recorded of him that he used his gun almost exclusively and acted throughout with the greatest consideration for the crews, even after unrestricted warfare was declared. This shows that had merchant ships sailed in company with a single escort mounting a single 6in. gun, the casualties to merchant ships would have been almost negligible.

This book, like the fifth volume of "The Official History," must inevitably give the unprejudiced student the impression that the general direction of the naval campaign from the Admiralty was in the hands of amateur engineers rather than of experienced seamen, and that a drab war of massed and faulty material, wrongly employed, was relieved from stagnation only by the heroic and noble self-sacrifice of junior officers and men whose exploits the author has rendered unforgettable.

"Smoke on the Horizon" was undoubtedly an inevitable outcome of Lord Fisher's false doctrine of sea power.

SCIENTIST VICTIM TO RARE DISEASE

ROCKY MOUNTAIN SPOTTED FEVER

Dr. Brumpt, whose fame was established in connection with researches into sleeping sickness, was stricken while inoculating an animal with the "dermacentor Andersoni," which produces hereditary disease carried by ticks in the western United States.

The Pasteur Institute specialists are now confronted for the first time in the history of French medicine with a case of Rocky Mountain spotted fever. It is stated by physicians in attendance that Dr. Brumpt, who is 55 years old, has a good chance of recovery if his heart can stand the strain.

The alarm expressed by physicians that the disease might have made its first appearance in France in epidemic form was dispelled when the circumstances of Dr. Brumpt's illness became known.

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JAPANESE INTERVENE IN MANCHULI INCIDENT

Threat of Another Russo-Japanese War

STAGE SET FOR MOSCOW TRIAL

SPOTLIGHT FOR ACCUSED

"CONFESSIONS" IN WHITE PAPER

(Special to "Telegraph")

(Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1921. Received, April 11, 12.40 a.m.)
Moscow, Apr. 11.
The stage is almost set for the trial of the employees of Metropolitan Vickers to-morrow in which the keenest interest is being taken throughout the Soviet Union.

Everyone is trying to obtain a ticket for the trial, but they are naturally limited and are being distributed with the utmost care.
The Blue Room of the Trades Union Hall, where the trial will be held, is designed to hold five hundred people. It has been specially redecorated for the occasion.

SPOTLIGHTS ON ACCUSED.

One of the features of the trial will be the spotlights playing upon the faces of the accused, who will be surrounded by Red Guards.
Both judges and prisoners will be allowed to smoke throughout the proceedings, while a refreshment buffet and non-alcoholic drinks are to be provided in the famous Hall of Pillars adjoining, where Lenin's body was exposed after his death.—*Reuter.*

SIR ESMOND OVEY'S DESPATCHES

INTERROGATION OF PRISONERS.

London, Apr. 11.
An astonishing story of confessions extorted from the British employees of Metropolitan Vickers in Moscow is contained in another official White Paper on the subject.

The White Paper consists of the record of despatches from Sir Esmond Ovey, the British Ambassador, and from Mr. Strang, the Charge d'Affaires, from March 19 to April 4.
The despatches relate largely to the interrogation of the accused and show that they are charged generally with espionage, collecting information without authority, wrecking work, and bribery.

"ALLEGED CONFESSIONS."

They were often confronted with the alleged confessions of their fellow employees.
Mr. Alan Monkhouse, the principal representative of the firm in Russia, gained the impression as a result of his examination that no charge would be brought against Metropolitan Vickers as such, but that the charges were similar to those brought against Germany four years ago, namely, that the arrested Metropolitan Vickers employees in Russia also certain of the Company's designers and engineers in the Manchester works, were
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HITLER MAY GO TO ROME

HOLDING HIMSELF IN READINESS

(Special to "Telegraph")

(Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1921. Received, April 11, 8.20 a.m.)
Berlin, Apr. 11.
Herr Hitler has gone to Bavaria to spend the Easter holiday, but he is holding himself in readiness to go to Rome if Captain Goering, his chief lieutenant, considers that his presence there is necessary.—*Reuter.*

FASCIST POWERS TALK IN ROME

FRENCH NOTE ON THE FOUR-POWER PLAN

Rome, April 10.
Captain von Papen had an interview to-day with Signor Mussolini, who sees Captain Goering to-morrow.
Signor Mussolini also saw the French Ambassador, who, it is understood, presented the Italian Premier with a memorandum on the Four-Power Plan.—*Reuter.*

DUMPING IN INDIA

REPRESENTATIONS TO JAPAN

FOR VOLUNTARY REDUCTION

(Special to "Telegraph")

(Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1921. Received, April 11, 8.20 a.m.)
London, April 11.
The question of Japanese dumping in India was raised in the House of Commons by Major Proctor, who asked whether Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, would consider representations to Japan.

Major Proctor suggested joint representations by the British Government and the Government of India. He said that public opinion in India and England demanded the cancellation of the trade agreement with Japan.
Sir Samuel Hoare replied that the Government of India was very much alive to the urgency of the problem, as was evidenced by the introduction in the Assembly of an Anti-Dumping Bill.
Mr. Rhys Davies expressed the hope that when the Indian Government was considering the report of the Tariff Board, they would bear in mind the Lancashire textile industry.
Sir Samuel Hoare said the question was never out of the minds of the Governments of India or Britain.—*Reuter.*

THE "FREE CITY" OF DANZIG

NAZIS SEEKING TO EXTEND GRIP

Danzig, Apr. 11.
Keen to extend the grip of the Nazis to the Free City of Danzig, the local Nazis have decided to demand the dissolution of the Volkstag.

It is expected that the resolution to dissolve will be adopted at its next meeting on April 13 and that a general election will be called for six weeks' time.
The Danzig Government has hitherto been based on a coalition between the Centre, the Catholics and the German Nationalists though recently these have been in a minority in the Volkstag.—*Reuter.*

MARSHAL CHANG LEAVES

SAFELY ABOARD THE CONTE ROSSO

Shanghai, April 11.
Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang and several members of his entourage boarded the Italian liner Conte Rosso after midnight, and sailed for Italy at 8 o'clock this morning.
The Marshal's wife and others of the party went aboard the vessel at 7 p.m. yesterday.—*Reuter.*

REVIVAL OF SILVER

TALKS PROCEEDING IN WASHINGTON

NO DECISION

Washington, Apr. 10.
Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, confirmed the belief that the silver question was the principal topic in his discussion with Sir Ronald Lindsay, the British Ambassador to-day.
Mr. Hull emphasised that no decision was reached as a result of the conversations.
The talks are to be continued next week regardless of the coming visit of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald.

Mr. Hull also stated that there had been no discussion regarding the extension of an invitation for an Indian Government representative to participate in the discussions.
It is learned from Ottawa that Mr. R. B. Bennett has accepted President Roosevelt's invitation to Washington, though he told the House of Commons that the date of his visit was uncertain. He would choose a time suitable to President Roosevelt.—*Reuter.*

PREMIER'S VISIT TO U.S.A.

NO LIMIT TO THE DISCUSSIONS

London, Apr. 10.
The Prime Minister to-day informed the House of Commons that he hoped to leave England for America on 15th April and to arrive back on 3rd May.
He intended to set no limit to the subjects which may be mentioned in the course of conversations between the United States President and himself. The object of the visit was not to negotiate and fix agreements, but to discuss questions with which both of them were confronted.—*British Wireless.*

FRENCH LADY FLIER

LEAVING HANOI TO-MORROW

Mlle. Maryse Hiltz, the French aviatrix who is on a flight from Paris to Tokyo, is, according to advices received by the French Consul, leaving Hanoi to-morrow morning.

It is the aviator's intention to fly direct to Swatow, and thence to Shanghai. She will, therefore, be unlikely to touch Hongkong, unless weather conditions make the direct hop to Swatow impossible.

THE AUSTRALIA AIR ROUTE

PORTUGAL & HOLLAND CO-OPERATE

London, Apr. 10.
Sir John Simon stated the House of Commons that the Portuguese Government have agreed to permit all facilities for a preliminary survey of the London-Australia air route, and the Netherlands Government have requested their East Indies Government to grant similar facilities.—*British Wireless.*

AUSTRALIA FLIGHT

Miss Jean Batten REACHES ATHENS
Athens, April 10.
Miss Jean Batten, the New Zealand girl who is flying to Australia, arrived here to-day from Naples.—*Reuter.*



Renewed talk of the possibility of war between Russia and Japan gives interest to these pictures, showing a huge tractor drawn gun and a detachment of Russian cavalry, which remains the flower of the Red Army.

RUSSIA CUTS ALL CONNEXIONS

JAPANESE ATTACK ON MR. RUDY

TENSE SITUATION

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH").

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HARBIN, APRIL 11.

A GRAVE DISPUTE AT MANCHULI YESTERDAY, WHEN JAPANESE MILITARY COMPELLED THE DEPARTURE OF A TRAIN FOR HARBIN, THREATENS AN OPEN BREACH BETWEEN THE SOVIET AND JAPAN AND THERE IS OPEN TALK OF WAR.

This possibility of the railway dispute, ostensibly between Manchukuo and Russia, leading to another Russo-Japanese war is stressed in a strongly-worded article in the Japanese-owned Harbin Times, which demands that Moscow order the dismissal of Mr. Rudy, the General Manager of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

The journal accuses Mr. Rudy of the "theft" of rolling-stock and also alleges that Mr. Rudy is "endeavouring to push Japan and the Soviet into conflict."

The Harbin Times adds: "If Moscow desires peace with Japan, the same as Japan does with the Soviet, then the Russian authorities must dismiss Mr. Rudy, who is endeavouring to frustrate all possibility of friendship between the two countries."

"THEFT OF STOCK"

It says that the Soviet C.E.R. officials have carried into Russia seventy-five locomotives, 739 passenger coaches and about 4,000 goods wagons belonging to the Chinese Eastern Railway, while General Su Ping-wen took 27 locomotives and 250 passenger coaches which have not been returned.—*Reuter.*

MANCHULI INCIDENT.

Harbin, Apr. 11.
The grave potentialities of the railway dispute are borne out by the tense incident at Manchuli yesterday.

The local railway officials, acting upon instructions from Mr. Rudy, the Russian general manager, refused to despatch the connecting train to Harbin after the arrival of the Siberian express.

MILITARY COMPUSSION.

Finally, the train steamed out, but it did so only after the Japanese military had threatened to maintain the service themselves by using their own crews.
With the two systems also disconnected at Pogranichnaya, no trains are now able to enter or to leave Manchuria.—*Reuter.*

A moderate anticyclone is centred to the north of the Lower Yangtze. Moderate to fresh monsoon will prevail over the China coast and the Northern China Sea. Local forecast:—N.E. winds, fresh; cloudy.

AIR RECORD BROKEN

ITALIAN FLIGHT AT 424 M.P.H.

BRITISH TIME BETTERED

Rome, Apr. 10.

It is officially confirmed that Italy has recaptured the world air speed record, wrested from them in 1927 by Flight-Lieutenant Webster in the Schneider Trophy Race of that year.

When Italy last held the world air speed record, it was established at 246.49 miles an hour, the successful pilot being Lieut. Colonel de Bernardi, who has just accepted appointment as commander of the Chinese Air Force. The new record established a speed of about 424 miles an hour.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

The official communique issued by the Italian Air Ministry states that Warrant Officer Angelo today broke the world air speed record, flying five times over a measured straight course at an average speed of 682.403 kilometres an hour (approximately 424 miles an hour).
The speed on one of the flights reached 692.529 kilometres an hour (approximately 430 miles an hour).

The record which has been broken is that established by Flight-Lieutenant Stainforth, who averaged 408.8 miles an hour and who achieved a speed of 415.2 miles an hour on one of his bursts across the measured mile.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH ARRESTS IN GERMANY

HIGH TREASON ACTS ALLEGED

London, Apr. 10.

Answering questions in the House of Commons regarding the recent arrest of two Englishmen in Germany, Sir John Simon said the British Consul in Berlin had been informed by the police authorities that Mr. Fraser was charged with having committed "acts in preparation for high treason", and was to be transferred to Moabit Prison to await trial.

The British Ambassador had asked the German Foreign Minister for early and more precise information regarding the case.—*British Wireless.*

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

FOUR HOME TEAMS SUCCESSFUL

London, Apr. 10.

Four English and Scottish League matches were played to-day, resulting in home victories in each case.

Northampton, entertaining Cardiff City in the Third Division (South) won by two goals to nil. Tranmere, at home to Mansfield in the Northern Section, won by three goals to nil.
In the Scottish League, Queen's Park defeated Hamilton Academicals by the only goal scored, while Glasgow Celtic captured both points from Clyde, winning 2-1.—*Reuter.*

London, Apr. 10.

A further meeting with the Argentine Trade Mission took place at the Board of Trade to-day.
It is expected that a satisfactory agreement between the British Government and the Mission will be reached very soon.—*British Wireless.*

SHORT TIME IN COTTON MILLS

OVER-PRODUCTION IN SHANGHAI

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Shanghai, Apr. 11.
Chinese cotton mill owners, at a meeting representing over two million spindles, unanimously decided to reduce working hours by twenty-three per cent. for one month from April 22 owing to overproduction.—*Reuter.*

BOYCOTT OF GERMANY

JEWISH ACTIVITY IN LONDON

POLICE AND POSTER AGITATION

London, Apr. 10.

In the House of Commons, the Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, explained that the London police, as a measure of precaution against breaches of the peace, had advised the removal of posters advocating the boycotting of Germany and German goods.

Further questioned, he said Jews might exhibit posters if they chose to do so, but he was sure the House would agree that it was undesirable that members of the public should at present take any action liable to inflame feeling. It was certainly the intention of the Government to allow all reasonable expression of free opinion in this country on the matter.

SILESIA ISSUE.

Sir John Simon was asked whether action to protect the Jewish minority in Upper Silesia was to be taken by the League of Nations under Article 11 of the Covenant, and whether the Jewish minority was not guaranteed full equality under the German-Polish Convention of 1922.
He said the League Council had laid it down that procedure under Article 11 should not normally be employed in cases relating to protection of minorities under the treaties, and "should only be invoked in grave cases which produce a feeling that facts exist which might effectively menace the maintenance of peace between nations."

DOUBTFUL POINT.

It was doubtful, therefore, whether Article 11 could be properly invoked in the case of the Jewish minority in Upper Silesia.
Regarding the German-Polish Convention, he was not aware that any appeal had been made to the Council on the ground that the Jewish minority had been deprived of the rights secured to it under that Convention.
Replying to further questions, Sir John Simon said the whole subject of the position of Jews in Germany was receiving a great deal of public attention, and he was himself making inquiries.—*British Wireless.*

GERMAN LOAN REPAYMENT

FRANCE'S SHARE LIQUIDATED

Berlin, April 10.

In conformity with the policy laid down by Dr. Schacht, the new President of the Reichsbank, the Reichsbank has repaid £17,600,000 to the Bank of France, being France's share of the seventy millions still outstanding of the hundred million dollars re-discount credit advanced in July, 1931 in equal proportions by the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Federal Reserve Bank and the Bank of International Settlements.—*Reuter.*

LOVE or MONEY?

BY H. W. CORLEY

CHAPTER I

The alarm whirled—as alarms, carefully set and wound, have a way of doing—whirled and strangled through the dark 67th street flat, reverberated in the area-way, punctuated by a slamming of windows and the sound of voices.

"Aw, turn that alarm off, will ya?"

"Hey, you Moran!"

"It's the redhead. But don't get up this early!"

Seven-thirty. . . And Mona (nee Minnie) Moran stirred, nestled cozily for a moment, then lifted a slender arm from the coverlet and snapped off the shrill noise. She turned over again, placed a palm beneath her cheek and closed her eyes.

Mona long ago had decided that the last half hour of sleep caught this way—stolen really from the workaday world—was the most delicious. Thirty more drowsy minutes to reflect on this and that or to forget it all in the relaxation of another nap.

Mona had problems. What girl as young and lovely as Mona does not have—even when she is not, as Mona assuredly was—the support of her family? There were five in that family, counting Dad in the hospital and Bud, the elder brother, away from home when he had a job and back home when broke.

Seven-forty. Seven-fifty. Seven-fifty-five.

Then, as if another alarm had sounded, Mona stirred again. She patted a dainty yawn with the back of her rosy-fingered hand, glanced at the sleeping Kitty beside her—Kitty's slim little girliness occupying more than half the narrow bed—and slid out carefully.

Mona stretched her arms again and took indifferent stock of herself in the mirror. She had become used to the pleasant report that mirror gave.

There were those who wondered why, with such a figure, such creamy skin, such gray-green eyes and miraculous bronze hair, Mona had not followed her first job as errand girl and later model at Pilgrim's with a stage affiliation. It was true that Mona had had several such offers but she had

rejected them all. To marry a stage electrician (more chorus girls did, you know, than landed millionaires) had no part in Mona Moran's plans.

So she had taken a job as receptionist for the exclusive law firm of Garretson, Lawton and Amesbury.

"I see people here," Mona confided to her friend, Lottie Carr. "I get to know them without parading half dressed behind the footlights. I learn to walk, to talk, to dress and how to act."

Lottie, tall, blond and languorous, was a model at Pilgrim's.

"That Carr girl is no better than she should be," Ma would declare after one of Lottie's visits to the Moran home. "Perfume, \$20 an ounce! Handkerchiefs, \$25 a dozen or I'm a liar. No 'good working girl'!"

"Oh, she's all right, Mother!" Mona would protest. "It's just that—that Lottie—" She would break off here for Mona could hardly finish as she had intended. "It's just that Lottie has no family to support." Ma would be hurt—and rightly—at that.

"Well," Ma would weaken, "I don't want that girl calling up the house. I don't want you going out with her. My daughters are good girls!"

Mona was, and indeed, for that matter, so was Lottie. Mrs. Moran might have had the useful support of many rebuffed young men as to that.

Lottie, frivolous, gay, attractive in the costumes her position as model afforded her, would beg Mona to join her on frequent parties with that collection of young clubmen to whom Lottie referred as "the gang."

"Sometimes, Lottie. But don't count on me for many of these affairs. I need my sleep. I have to work."

"Go to bed and never meet any nice 'people'!" Lottie amended here. "You might get yourself a husband if you'd step out more. Ever think of that?"

Mona shook her head. "Yes, I think of it. But you don't get them that way. I know my onions."

And Lottie had rejoined signi-

ficantly, recalling the melodorous 67th street flat, "I'll say you do! But do you know the artichokes?"

As it happened Mona was not acquainted—then—with artichokes. Her answer was a shrug. Mona knew that, for some time at least, she could not think of marrying. It was out of the question. Not with Bud acting as he did, in and out of a job, absent for days on end, home idling, begging small sums for carfare, cigarettes.

Not with her father in the hospital. Mona couldn't go to a husband saddled with these family cares.

Her father—Mona's patient, kindly, hard-working father, stricken suddenly with that obscure, powerful malady which no doctor named definitely, of which no doctor would predict the outcome!

The Morans had lived in the same flat for years, protesting against the gradual raise in rents after the subway was opened. 'n the apartment house Terrence Moran had been something of a figure, his kindly philosophy sought at all times.

His stoking feet high on the window sill, his eyes twinkling over his newspaper which he read with laboriously moving lips, Dad, in his way, influenced the entire neighbourhood. They came to him for advice in matters of courtship and weddings, for condolence at the time of death, for encouragement in illness.

Yes, Mona certainly owed it to Dad to stick by the family and not to think of marriage until—until what? Mona's thoughts could get no further with the problem but Lottie's could—and did.

"Marry a man who'll take care of your family for you," was Lottie's plan.

Such men are few and far between. So are girls like Mona, with trim figures, glowing bronze hair, best of all an angelic disposition.

From eight o'clock, when Ma gently knocked on Mona's door to

supplement the alarm, until eight-fifteen the dark, tiny little gas-bathroom down the hall was Mona's sole property. Ma knew it. Kitty knew it. Even Bud—the overlord of the radio, the easiest chair and the newspaper—acquiesced.

There was orange juice for breakfast, scrambled eggs and golden toast liberally buttered. The delicious scent of coffee had been filling the halls for half an hour. Ma poured a steaming cup and set it beside Mona's plate.

In a clean print house gown, Mrs. Moran was taking her comfortable way between table and stove, chatting busily, neither waiting for nor expecting response. She announced that Kitty's marks at school were better this month. "You see Min what a little interest in them teachers does for a child?"

For Ma swathed in her best black, had hustled over to have a talk with Kitty's principal.

Mona smiled. She knew that most likely Miss Preston, with hundreds of children to deal with, did not know Kitty Moran by sight.

Mrs. Callahan had new linoleum for the kitchen. About time Joe did something for his mother except bring his girl in for dinner every Sunday. The Donahue twins were teething. The Caseys were going to have one of them new French telephones.

If Min would leave her silk underwear out on a chair Ma would rub it out and press it. There was no sense to Min's tiring herself out at night after work.

"It's your day to visit your father anyhow," Ma observed somewhat unnecessarily. Mona was as likely to forget to go to the office as to the hospital on visiting night.

"Tell him I'll be over Sunday," Ma went on. She always said that. "I'll roast him a chicken. Kitty can go up to Alice's."

As Ma always cooked something for her husband, and as Kitty always spent Sunday with Alice, this required no particular response. Alice was Mona's elder sister, married these two years and much against Ma's wishes. However, after the deed had been done Ma was the first to give Alice

her support. Most of the baby's finery had been bought by Ma from dimes and quarters saved painstakingly out of the house-keeping money. Mona suspected that Ma's movie money found its way into the same fund.

It had been Alice's rather unfortunate marriage which had set Mona against marrying. A poor man. Her sister, once so smart-looking, skipping off to work every morning, so proud of her ability to help with the family expenses, was now, after two years of married life, a changed being.

Dressed sloppily in house dresses, her hair straggling about her neck, her face guileless of colour and her skin unpowdered, Alice struggled half-heartedly through her day's work in a badly furnished, rather malodorous little flat.

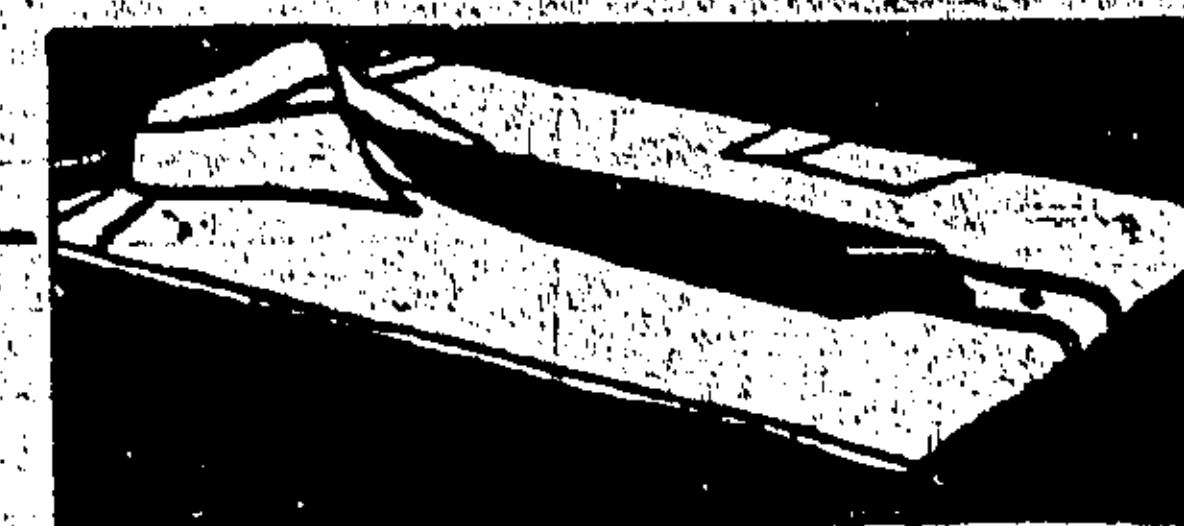
There were always, no matter at what time of day one might call, dishes soaking in the sink, babies' clothes draping the radiator, something stewing on the stove and a broom to be stumbled over in the dark hallway.

The baby was always ailing, always whimpering in apologetic little moans. Jim, the rather disillusioned young husband, usually sought a pool room after the casual, badly-cooked meal Alice would set out for him. Mona could hardly blame him. It was amazing that this drab, uninterested, unkempt little creature could be the gay, chic Alice who had gone off so confidently to marry Jim.

Whose fault was it that their marriage had turned out so badly? Nobody's, probably. Just the pressure of circumstances.

"Where'd you get the orange juice?" remarked Bud. It was an unprecedented extravagance in the Moran household.

"Mr. Hart stopped to talk to one of the marketmen in Washington street, Mother. You know they get there late at night and wait until morning when the hotel people buy. Well, then Mr. Hart wanted to buy something too. The crate was right there and he couldn't take it home very well. (Continued on Page 10.)



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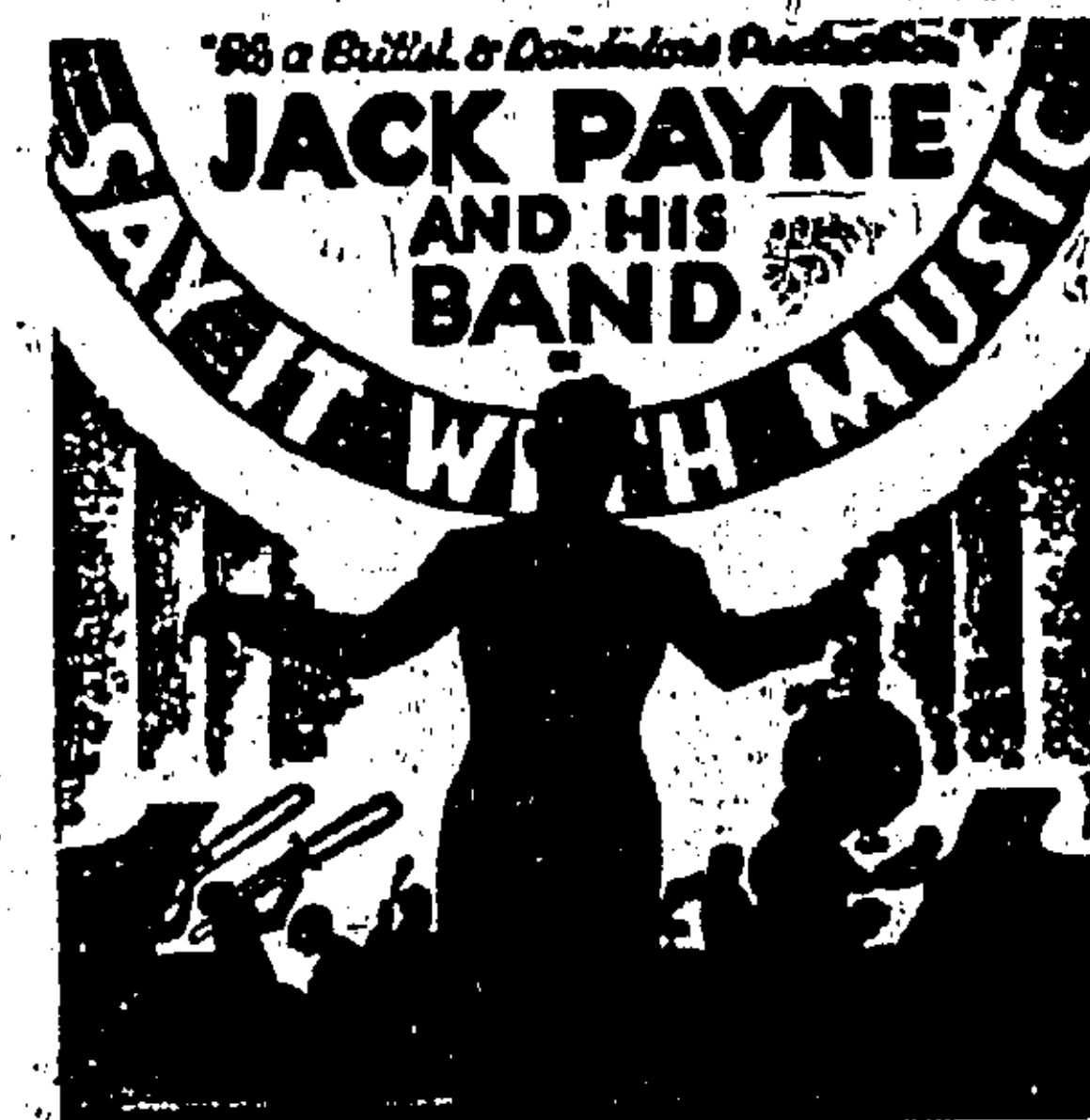
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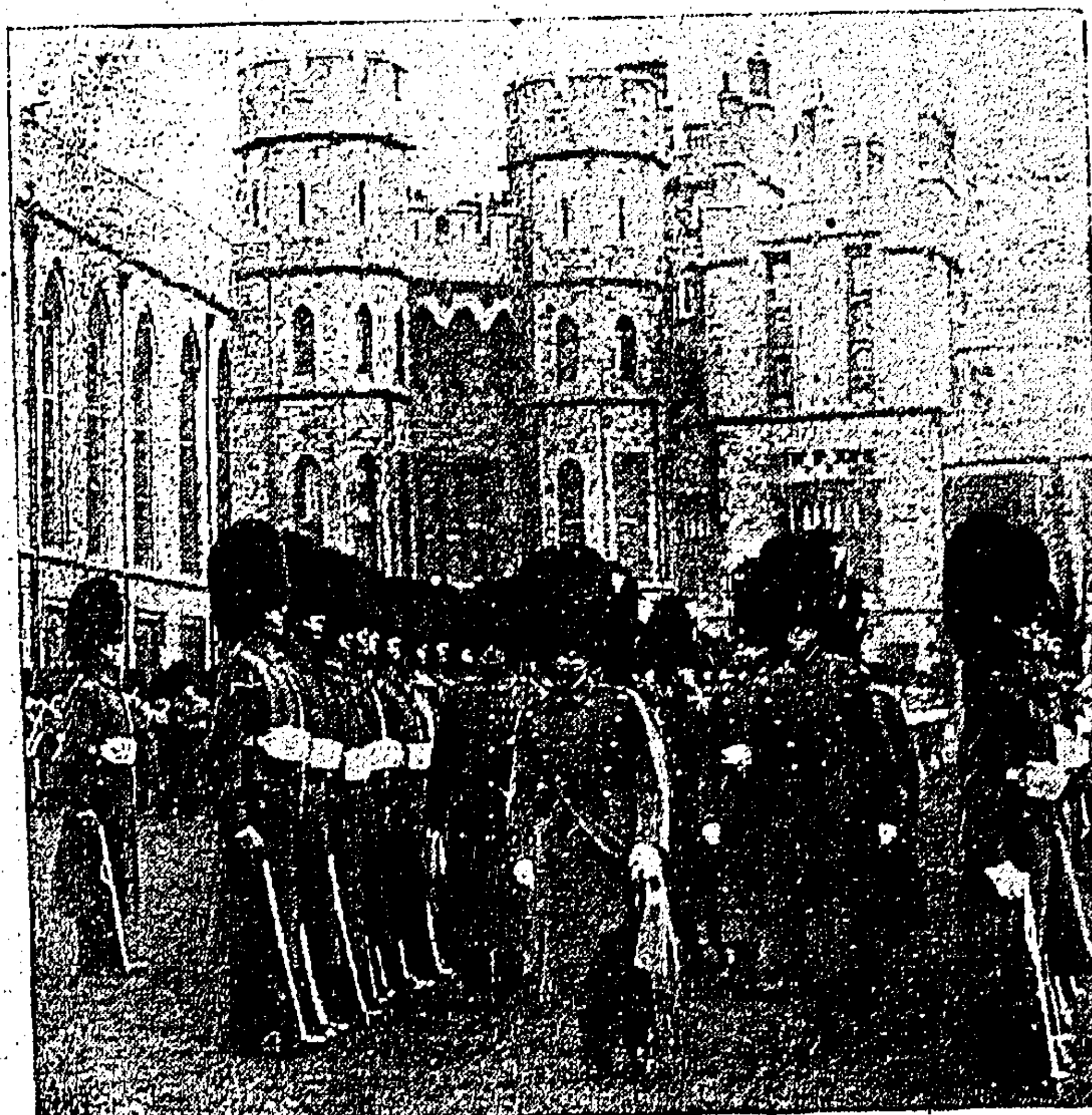
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Cars splashing their way along the Kingston by-pass road during the widespread flooding accompanying the thaw after the great blizzard in England. (Photo: Planet News).



The Prince of Wales, Honorary Colonel of the Welsh Guards, inspecting the 1st Battalion in the quadrangle of Windsor Castle. (Photo: Planet News).



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Wives are cheaper in South Africa as a result of the world depression. They can now be bought for about 29. Photo shows two Zulu women endeavouring to increase their value.



King Alexander of Yugoslavia at the opening of a memorial school at Orashatz, on the site of the meeting of the Serbian Council at which it was decided to declare war on the Turks 129 years ago. Photo shows the King kissing a Cross held by Bishop Tikhon during the ceremony. (Photo: Planet News).

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 Screenplay by
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 Directed by
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

The offices and stations of the Chinese Maritime Customs for Kowloon and District will be closed to public business on the 14th April, 1933, being a Customs holiday.

E. N. ENSOR,
 Commissioner of Chinese Customs,
 Kowloon and District.
 Hongkong, 10th April, 1933.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, P. & O. Building on Wednesday, April 19th, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1932.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 14th April to 19th April, both days inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAK & CO.,
 General Managers,
 Hongkong, 8th April, 1933.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 44th ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the offices of the Company, Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS OF the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 13th April, 1933, to Tuesday, the 25th April, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

ALLAN KEITH,
 Secretary.

Hongkong, 4th April, 1933.

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On and after the 6th April, 1933, Mr. P. PAYRAS will take charge of this Company's Local Agency.

R. OHL,
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NOTICE.

We beg to announce that we have this day appointed Mr. Ernest Harry Hamilton Higham, A.R.I.B.A., B. Arch-Liverpool to be manager of our Hongkong Office. Mr. Higham will sign our firm "per procuration."

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COTTON & WHEAT

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat exchange for yesterday.

	Opening	Closing
Cotton		
May	6.54-6.55	6.53-6.54
July	6.70-6.70	6.69-6.70
October	6.92-6.92	6.91-6.92
December	7.05-7.05	7.05-7.06
January	7.12-7.12	7.12-7.12
March	7.24-7.24	7.25-7.25
Spot		6.60
Wheat		
May	58 1/2	51 1/2
July	59	52 1/2
September	60 1/2	
October		54 1/2

PALACE TREASURES

SAID TO BE IN HANDS OF
 CHANG HSUEH-LIANG.

Shanghai, Apr. 9.
 Mr. Chang Chi, a prominent member of the C.E.C., has wired Mr. Wu-tchen alleging that some of the priceless engravings and paintings belonging to the Summer Palace are now in the hands of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang who, he appeals, should be requested to return these treasures before leaving for Europe next week.—*Reuter.*

JAPAN INTERESTED.

MAY SEND MINISTER TO ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

Tokyo, Apr. 10.
 Mr. Takahashi, Finance Minister, may be invited to represent Japan at the World Economic Conference and preliminary negotiations at Washington, but it is unlikely that he will accept.

It is indicated in official circles however that someone of ministerial calibre will be appointed, as the Government is apparently more interested than when the conference was first proposed.—*Reuter's Special.*

China to Participate.

Nanking, Apr. 10.
 The Chinese public here is showing a keen interest over the forthcoming international discussions at Washington to which both China and Japan are among the parties invited. It is believed that the Sino-Japanese dispute over Manchuria will inevitably receive some attention.

The Nanking Bar Association and other public bodies are preparing a petition to the Government asking the Authorities to consider carefully the choice of the Chinese representative.

The Washington conference, to which prominent world statesmen, including Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mussolini, Hitler and Daladier, have been invited, will discuss disarmament and world economic problems.—*Reuter.*

SIBERIAN ROUTE SUSPENDED.

DISPUTE BETWEEN SOVIET AND MANCHUKUO

Dairen, Apr. 10.
 Traffic between Europe and the Far East has been suspended as a result of a dispute between the Soviet and Manchukuo.

The Manchukuo Government on Saturday ordered a blockade of Manchuria in an effort to oust Soviet control of passports and customs.

The railway service between Europe and the Far East has therefore been suspended, pending a settlement.—*Reuter.*

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd May, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th April, 1933, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hongkong, 11th April, 1933.

AIR ATTACHE.

GOVERNMENT CONSIDERING RECOMMENDATION

London, Apr. 10.
 The recommendation of Sir Miles Lampson to appoint an Air Attache to China, in view of the representations of British aircraft manufacturers, is under Government consideration, stated Sir John Simon in the House of Commons to-day.—*Reuter.*

RECORD AIR SPEED.

ITALIAN'S CLAIM TO NEW FIGURES

Gardone, Apr. 10.
 Warrant Officer Agello, the Italian flyer, claims to have broken the British record of 407 1/2 miles an hour, covering a measured course at the rate of 437 1/2 miles an hour.—*Reuter.*

POST OFFICE NOTICE

POSTING OF PARCELS.

On and after Saturday the 8th instant, all parcels to be posted at the General Post Office, must be taken to the Counter in the basement, the entrance to which is in Des Voeux Road, opposite Messrs. Whiteaway and Laidlaw.

SAIGON-MARSEILLES AIR MAIL SERVICE.

Letters (Ordinary and registered but not insured), Postcards, and "Autre objets" (Commercial papers, Printed papers and Samples) will be accepted for transmission by this Service. Rates and conditions are shown in the schedules exhibited at the G. P. O. and Kowloon Office.

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Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service" and handed in at the G. P. O. or Kowloon Post Office.

RADIOTELEGRAMS.

The rate for Urgent Telegrams to all places except China will be reduced from treble to double the ordinary rate as from 1st April, 1933.

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Des
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	April 12.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only) London, 20th March	Lycan	April 12.
Straits	Agamemnon	April 13.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	April 13.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	April 14.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 25th March)	Empress of Japan	April 14.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 17th March)	Pres. Monroe	April 14.
Japan and Shanghai	Hakusan Maru	April 14.
Japan	Hakodate Maru	April 14.
Japan	Morioka Maru	April 14.
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru	April 14.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters only) London, 18th March	Kashima Maru	April 15.
Japan	Lima Maru	April 15.
Japan and Shanghai	General Sherman	April 16.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 24th March)	Pres. Coolidge	April 17.
Calcutta and Straits	Kutsang	April 17.
London Parcels only London, 9th March	Soudan	April 17.
Japan	Bokuyo Maru	April 18.
Japan	Santhia	April 18.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Tuesday.	
Letters for "Saigon-Marseilles Air Chenonceaux Mail Service"	G. P. O.	Tues., April 11.
Reg.,	K. P. O.	Reg.,
Letters,	Reg.,	Letters,
Saigon and Europe via Marseilles Chenonceaux (Due Marseilles, 13th May.)	G. P. O.	Tues., April 11.
Reg.,	K. P. O.	Reg.,
Letters,	Reg.,	Letters,
Straits, and Europe via Marseilles Chenonceaux (Due Marseilles, 13th May.)	G. P. O.	Tues., April 11.
Reg.,	K. P. O.	Reg.,
Letters,	Reg.,	Letters,
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Hawaii,	Athos II.	Tues., Apr. 11, 2 p.m.
"Canada, C. and S. America and .."	Pres. McKinley	Sat., Apr. 12, 1 p.m.
"Europe via San Francisco and .."	Reg.,	Reg.,
"Europe via Siberia .."	Reg.,	Reg.,
Swatow and Bangkok	Kalgan	Tues., Apr. 11, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Tues., Apr. 11, 4 p.m.
Saigon	Clara Jensen	Wed., Apr. 12, 5 p.m.
Saigon	Prosper	Tues., Apr. 11, 5 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Hawaii,	Chichibu Maru	Wed., Apr. 12.
"Canada, C. and S. America and .."	Registration	Apr. 11, 5 p.m.
"Europe via San Francisco and .."	Letters	Apr. 12, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow and Bangkok	Kweiyang	Wed., Apr. 12, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow	Svale	Wed., Apr. 12, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Tues., Apr. 11, 3.30 p.m.
	Thursday.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,	Conte Rosso	Thurs., April 13.
East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi	(Due Brindisi, 4th May.)	
Reg.,	K. P. O.	Reg.,
Letters,	Reg.,	Letters,
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs., Apr. 13, 3 p.m.
Rabaul	Bremerhaven	Thurs., Apr. 13, 5 p.m.
Saigon and Parcels only for Germany	Lahn	Thurs., Apr. 13, 5 p.m.
via Hamburg		
	Friday.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,	Hakusan Maru	Fri., Apr. 14.
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	(Due Marseilles, 13th May.)	
Reg.,	K. P. O.	Reg.,
Letters,	Reg.,	Letters,
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and ..	President Jefferson	Fri., Apr. 14.
"Europe via Victoria B.C. and .."	Reg.,	Reg.,
"Europe via Siberia .."	Reg.,	Reg.,
(Due Victoria B.C., 2nd May)	Reg.,	Reg.,
Manila	Pres. Monroe	Fri., Apr. 14, Noon.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hailing	Fri., Apr. 14, Noon.
Manila	Emp. of Japan	Fri., Apr. 14, Noon.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Kwangtung	Fri., Apr. 14, Noon.
	Saturday.	
Shanghai and Japan	Kashima Maru	Sat., Apr. 15, 9 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Apr. 15, 9 a.m.
Dairen	Tean	Fri., Apr. 14, Noon.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hozan Maru	Sun., Apr. 16, 9 a.m.
	Tuesday.	
"Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Change	Tues., Apr. 18.
(Due Thursday Island, 29th Apr.)	Reg.,	Reg.,
"Manila, Makassar, and Sourabaya	Tijenevara	Tues., Apr. 18, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Apr. 18, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	Tues., Apr. 18, 4.30 p.m.
Sandakan	Mausang	Wed., Apr. 19, 2.50 p.m.
	*Superscribed Correspondence only.	

YELLOW RIVER RISES.

MANY HOUSES DESTROYED IN WEST SHANSI.

Taiyuan, Apr. 10.

More than 800 square ft of land

along the left bank of the Yellow River is being inundated as a result of the overflowing of that river near Chihchow in West Shansi.

The flood was caused by ice jams which forced a sevenfoot rise in the river level. Many houses have been destroyed.—*Reuter.*

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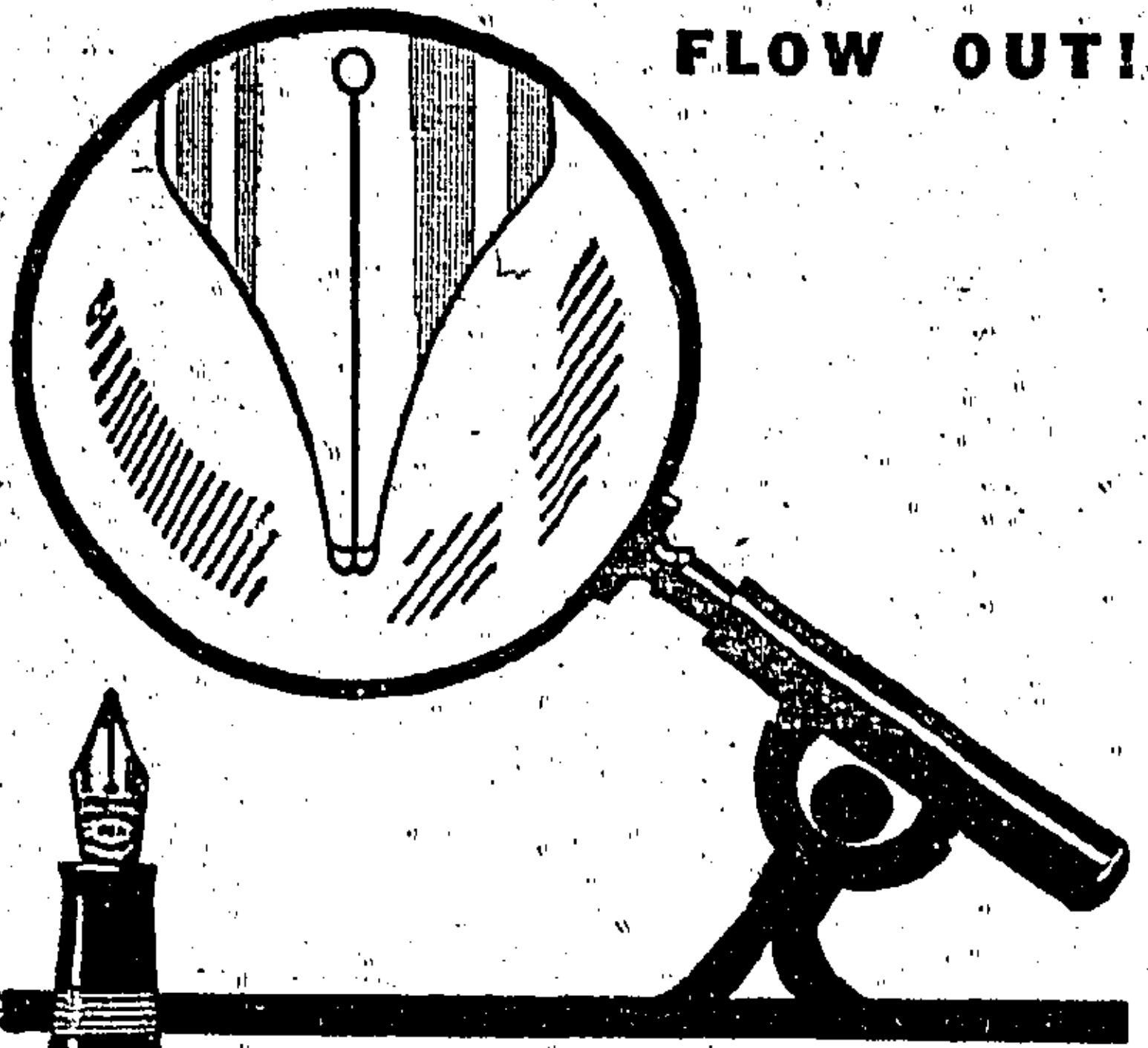
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YESTERDAY'S MARKET STRONG

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was strong yesterday. Business done: 1,760,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports:—The market advanced with an active turnover, notably in steel. Silver issues due to steel operations advanced 2 points. U.S. Steel Corporation's untitled tonnage was only slightly below the most optimistic estimates. Retail trade is improving on account of Easter, and traders expect a favorable action upon silver producers. Grains were strong owing to continued unfavourable crop reports and inflation prospects. The untitled tonnage of U.S. Steel Corp. for the month of March was 1,841,000, as filled tonnage was only slightly below 1,854,000 for February.

Dow-Jones averages:
Apr. 8. Apr. 10.
30 Industrials 60.80 62.11
20 Rails 25.00 26.48
20 Utilities 10.83 11.11
40 Bonds 73.60 74.03

Apr. 8. Apr. 10.
American Can 58 1/2 61 1/2
American Smelting 17 1/2 18 1/2
American Tel. & Tel. 92 1/2 95 1/2
American Tobacco 62 1/2 64 1/2

American Water works 11 1/2 12 1/2
Anaconda Copper 7 1/2 8 1/2
Auburn Automobiles 34 1/2 37
Bethlehem Steel 16 1/2 17 1/2
Borden Company 22 1/2 23 1/2

Canadian Pacific Railway 7 1/2 8 1/2
Chase National Bk. 21 1/2 22 1/2
Chesapeake Cor. 16 1/2 18
Chrysler 11 1/2 12 1/2
Columbia Gas & Electric 10 1/2 11 1/2

Consolidated Gas of New York 44 1/2 46 1/2
Drug Inc. 34 1/2 36 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours 37 1/2 40
Eastman Kodak 50 1/2 53 1/2

Electric Bond & Share 13 1/2 14 1/2
General Electric 13 1/2 14 1/2
General Foods 27 1/2 29 1/2
General Motors 12 1/2 13 1/2

General Railway Signal 19 1/2 20 1/2
Gillette Safety Razor 15 1/2 16 1/2
Gold Dust 16 1/2 17 1/2

International Harvester 23 1/2 24 1/2
International Nickel 9 1/2 10
International Tel. & Tel. 6 1/2 7 1/2

Johns Manville 18 1/2 20 1/2
Kennecott Copper 10 1/2 11 1/2
Lehman Corp. 44 1/2 46 1/2

Liggett & Myers "B" 62 1/2 64 1/2
Loew's Inc. 11 1/2 12 1/2
Montgomery Ward 14 1/2 15 1/2

National City Bank 23 1/2 24 1/2
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North American Co. Pacific Gas and Electric 20 1/2 21 1/2

Pennsylvania Railroad 16 1/2 17 1/2
Public Service of N.J. 35 1/2 37 1/2
Radio Corporation 4 1/2 5 1/2

EXCHANGE RATES

	Apr. 6	Apr. 10
Paris	86.31/32	86.23/32
Geneva	17.70	17.66
Berlin	14.43 1/2	14.44
Helsingfors	227	228
Oslo	19 1/2	19 1/2
Athens	60 1/2	60 1/2
Milan	66.11/16	66.11/16
Buenos Aires	4 1/2	4 1/2
Shanghai	1/8 1/2	1/8 1/2
New York	3.41 1/2	3.41 1/2
Amsterdam	8.48 1/2	8.45 1/2
Vienna	32 1/2	32 1/2
Prague	114 1/2	114 1/2
Madrid	40 1/2	40 1/2
Bucharest	57 1/2	57 1/2
Brussels	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Hongkong	24.60 1/2	24.60 1/2
Stockholm	18.29/32	18.29/32
Copenhagen	18.90	22.7/16
Lisbon	110	110
Rio	5 1/2	5 1/2
Bombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Yokohama	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Montevideo	4 1/2	4 1/2
Montreal	101.7/10	101.9/10
Wax Loan	252 1/2	252 1/2
Silver (spot)	17.7/16	17.7/16
Silver (forward)	17 1/2	17 1/2

—British Wireless.



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Reynolds Tobacco	31 1/2	31 1/2
"B"	18 1/2	19 1/2
Sears Roebuck	4 1/2	4 1/2
Shell Union	6 1/2	6 1/2
Socony Vacuum Corporation	6 1/2	6 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	27 1/2	27 1/2
Texas Corporation	13 1/2	12 1/2
Union Carbide & Carbon	24 1/2	25 1/2
Union Pacific	63 1/2	63 1/2
United Aircraft & Trans.	21 1/2	22 1/2
United Gas Improvement	14 1/2	15 1/2
U.S. Rubber	4 1/2	4 1/2
U.S. Steel	30 1/2	32 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	25 1/2	27 1/2
Woolworth	26	28

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MINING SHARES FIRM

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. Mining shares ruled firm yesterday. Otherwise the market was quietly steady.

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£ 99	£ 99
4 1/2% Loan 1905	£ 72	£ 72
5% Loan 1912	£ 43	£ 43
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 70 1/2	£ 70 1/2
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 104	£ 104
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 33-38	£ 33-38
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. (Supl. Loan)	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5% Shai-Hangchow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 68-73	£ 68-73
5% Honan Rly.	£ 5-10	£ 5-10
5% Hukuang Rly.	£ 21-25	£ 21-25
5% Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly.	£ 10-15	£ 10-15

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
German 7% Internat. Loan 1924	77/6	77/-
Japan 5% Starling Loan 1907	£ 60 1/2	£ 60 1/2
Japan 6% Starling Loan 1924	£ 76 1/2	£ 76 1/2

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
Associated Elec. Industries	16/9	16/9
Reil-Amey Tob.	95/-	95/-
Chinese Eng. & Min.	22/6	22/6
J. & P. Coats	49/-	49/-
Courtaulds	27/3	27/3
Distillers	53/3	53/3
Dunlop Rubber	21/4 1/2	21/4 1/2
Eveready	28/9	28/9
General Elec. (England)	40/6	40/3
Guinness	80/-	80/3
Impl. Chem. Industries	25/6	25/7 1/2
Impl. Tobacco	90/3	90/3
Internat. Tea Stores	27/6	27/6
Pinchin, Johnson, Turner & Newall	24/6	24/6
Unilever	24/9	24/9

	Apr. 8	Apr. 10
Anglo-Dutch	9/3	9/3
Burma Corp.	10/10 1/2	11/-
Canadian Pac.	£ 11 1/4	£ 12
Rly.	1/6	1/6
Pekin Dyall & Co.	49/-	49/-
Shai Elec. Constr.	6/3	6/3
Victors	43/9	43/9

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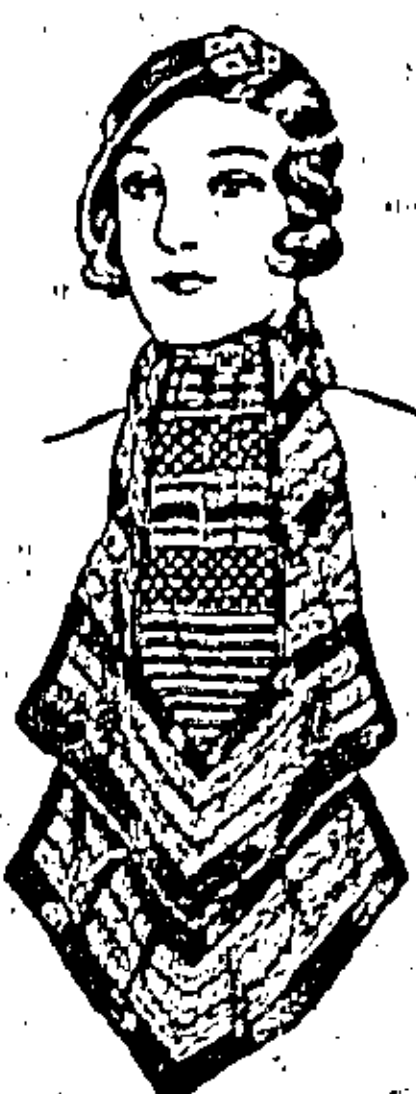
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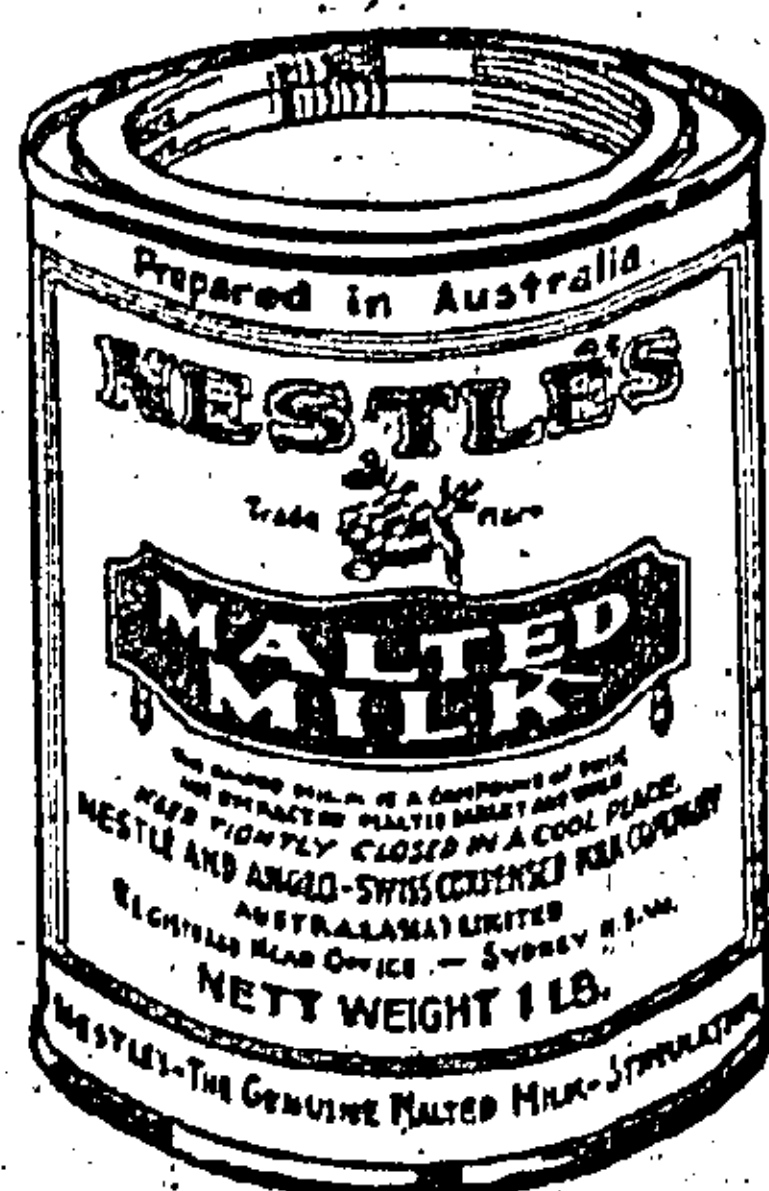
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Lo Cheng Shiu begs to announce
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daughter Eild and Mr. John
Lefebvre Litton will take place
at the Registry on Wednesday,
April 26th, and that a Reception
will be held at the Hongkong
Hotel at 4.30 p.m. No formal
invitations are being issued, but
all friends are cordially invited
to the Reception.

The
Hongkong Telegraph.

TUESDAY APRIL 11, 1933.

THE MOSCOW
ARRESTS

World interest will be centred
in the trial of six British em-
ployees of Metropolitan Vickers
which opens in Moscow to-mor-
row. The elaborate arrange-
ments which the Soviet has
made for the event are no doubt
intended to have a political
significance, but what Britain
and the rest of the world are
interested in is the precise
measure of justice which the
accused men will receive. There
would appear little room for
doubt that after their arrest the
men now facing trial underwent
a most unpleasant experience in
the severe grilling they received.
The full facts in this connexion
have, it is to be feared, not even
yet been disclosed. The charges
preferred are of a somewhat
peculiar character, yet more
readily understood when we ponder
on the Soviet habit of plac-
ing all foreigners under suspi-
cion. To the suggestion made by
Britain that these men are not
the type likely to engage in the
activities with which they are
charged, the Soviet has some-
what cheekily retorted that if
belief in their innocence is so
profound, why all the concern
which is being manifested? The
answer, of course, is that not
much faith can be placed in Rus-
sian judicial methods. If there
were a certainty that the ac-
cused would get a fair and above-
board trial, there would be no
occasion for anxiety. But the
Soviet's ruthlessness in sum-
marily despatching its own
suspected citizens without even
the semblance of a trial natu-
rally raises the fear that foreigners
are scarcely likely to get a
square deal. On the other hand,
Russia is strictly within her
rights in contending that for-
eigners who come into the coun-
try must be amenable to Soviet
laws. But, equally, Britain, or any
other country, has a perfect
right when any of their subjects
are placed under arrest, to know
the reason why and to strain
every legitimate effort to see
that they get justice. The
point naturally arises as to the
precise time on which it is wise
to make representations, and
what the nature of those re-
presentations should be. Here
there would appear to be some
ground for thinking that Britain
may have acted with undue

haste, at any rate so far as the
character of the steps taken is
concerned. The thought which
suggests itself is that the situ-
ation might have been adequately
met had the Soviet been inform-
ed, when the arrests were made
and the charges specified, that
Britain would keep a keen and
watchful eye on future develop-
ments. Instead of that, pre-
liminary threats have been
followed by action making
provision for a boycott of
Russian goods. The danger
is that these steps may
tend to prejudice the case of the
accused men rather than other-
wise. On general grounds, how-
ever, there does appear to have
been occasion for doubting whe-
ther, in any circumstances, the
prisoners would be given a fair
trial. We can only hope that the
worldwide attention now given
to the case will have the effect
of dissipating fears in this
connexion.

European Alliances

The consolidation of the Little
Entente—Yugoslavia, Roumania
and Czechoslovakia—is an in-
evitable reply to the rumours of
the formation of a Triplice in
Europe. Whether there is an
alliance or not, it is widely be-
lieved that Italy, Germany and
Hungary have an understanding
on common policy; and politi-
cians who have shown themselves
pacific are betraying anxiety.
France has actually hinted that
Russia may, as in pre-war days,
serve as a counterweight to Ger-
many, and in its recent treaty
with the Soviet seems to have
such a development in view.
Among the smaller nations of
Europe there are greater mis-
givings. The Little Entente
was formed as a defensive as-
sociation. Its members felt that
individually they were feeble,
and that the territories allotted
to them might be claimed by the
defeated nations. They united
to protect the *status quo*. It is
impossible to say that the mo-
tive was not, in the circum-
stances, legitimate; but it had
the unfortunate effect of per-
petuating the notion of alliances
in Europe. Always against
alliances, there have been pitiful
counter-alliances; and although
it was argued that the Little
Entente was different, yet the
conception of a balance of power
as opposed to the concep-
tion of the League was pre-
served, especially as France too
entered into a series of accords,
more or less of a military char-
acter. It is useless to disguise
the existence, of a feeling of
menace in Europe. Not only are
there these suggestions of a new
triplice, but there is also the
advent of Hitler with a more
aggressive foreign policy. The
opportunity is taken, in nation-
alist quarters in France, to de-
mand a general welding of al-
liances against the growing de-
mand for a revision of the trea-
ties. It is argued that the
revisionists rely on the division
of the former allies, and their
diplomatic tactics have been to
break all attempts to maintain
a common front. While they
are themselves framing accords
for action, they are engaged in
disuniting those nations which
stand for the *status quo*. The
tendency of Europe to form
alliances and thus to separate
into two camps, is obviously re-
trograde. The system leads
straight to a balance of power,
which is necessarily precarious.

Changing London

The face of London is con-
stantly changing. An amuse-
ment park has invaded the
dignity of the Haymarket;
business is breaking into Car-
lton House Gardens; and the
appearance of the Strand from
the Embankment has recently
been utterly transformed by the
erection of a huge structure in
gleaming white stone, surmount-
ed by a colossal clock that seems
likely to be a formidable rival of
Big Ben himself. But what is
perhaps the most constant
change of all is rarely
noticed. The big shops are
going ever farther. Twenty
or twenty-five years ago
the most westward big shop was
nearly half a mile east of Hyde
Park; to-day shops on the largest
scale seem to be entirely at
home in the very heart of the
most aristocratic fastnesses of
Kensington, as far to the west
of Hyde Park as they were form-
erly to the east.

THE HONGKONG CABARET

VII. The Conclusions

In this article, the last of the
series, *Controversialist* makes fur-
ther revelations of the working of
the cabaret system in Hongkong.

The great point claimed for the
cabarets is that they do not sell
liquors, but if all the brawls, or a
reasonable proportion of them,
were due to intoxication, they
would not have excited any great
interest or called for unusual
comment, and the Colony would,
in the course of time, have regard-
ed such incidents with the apathy
given nowadays to noisy happen-
ings in a "pub".

But it has been revealed on at
least two occasions that the
"affair" was of a different origin,
and if not all that, had run
perilously close to *une affaire
passionnelle*.

Such a one developed in a local
cabaret one recent night just after
two distinguished Legislative Coun-
cillors, by a curious coincidence,
then engaged doubtless on a tour
of inspection, had left. With the
circumstances leading up to this
incident we are not much con-
cerned save from the viewpoint
of its revelation of a complication
and an evil that, above every other
factor, should recommend itself to
the careful attention of our
Legislators. The actual presence,
at other times, of high Police
officials in one of these cabarets,
has not exerted as an assurance of
continued security or a guarantee
against a future occurrence. The
possibilities for unpleasantness
are of a nature falling within
ordinary imagination, and if it
has not, should have stimulated
furious thinking in this direction
by precedents set at Harbin and
Shanghai.

GOVERNMENT
ATTITUDE

The present attitude of the
authorities, if we rightly interpret
it, is the open mind properly to be
observed in any undertaking that
is new and conferring a benefit or
profit, of a moral, educational, re-
creational, or material kind, to
the community in general, now
restricted for ways and means of
lifting this Colony from the un-
desirable position for which it is
heading through a continued
worldwide economic depression.
In their attitude *vis a vis* the local
cabarets, they are said to have
been principally inspired by re-
cognition of a need for at last re-
moving the outer semblances of
that depression; or by a benevo-
lent view on rational entertain-
ment facilities for at least one
section of the community deprived
of their age-old West Point plea-
sure quarter, now disappearing.
All things considered, the Police
authorities have acted with due
caution in the matter, but the time
is now thought to be ripe for plac-
ing a "public entertainment" on a
regulated and licensed basis.

What will be the regulations?
We know only that such are being
drafted, that at the proper time
they will be presented by the Head
of the Police Department in their
carefully considered form to the
Governor-in-Council, by whom if
they are approved and passed,
they will automatically be trans-
lated into law.

THE NEW
REGULATIONS

Without seeking to anticipate
these Regulations, we believe they
have to do in the main with the
proper conduct of these resorts.
Soon the word "cabaret" will be
brought within the legal definition
of a "public place of entertain-
ment," and find a place in our
social laws—now that the authori-
ties have committed themselves to
its continued tolerance by a prom-
ise of "regulations". But what-
ever the exact nature of official
supervision and control devised,
it cannot be complete in the view
of many, without taking into ac-
count the relations between em-
ployer and employee, the terms of
employment, and the abuses likely
to accrue from a situation where
an employer with a comparatively
small capital, is given control over
imported "indentured labour".
The very nature of a cabaret
business, we suppose, requires a
constant change of personnel, but
the practice must not be lowered
to a position, degrading to all
concerned, where the girls are no
better than the new subscription
griffins imported every year to
give "new blood" to race meetings.
The comparison is perhaps in-
elegant, but it will serve its pur-
pose of explaining another com-
plexity in the local cabaret ques-
tion.

INTO THE
RUN

The New Regulations, from
latest reports, will be coming into
force about the end of the present
month. In the interim there has
been a regular "boom" in cabaret
enterprise. The official figures
are being eclipsed as other pro-
moters get into the run before
such new Regulations limit the
total number. We are being prom-
ised something "really good in the
cabaret line" by June 30, but
refuse to be thrilled as we can by
no stretch of the imagination con-
ceive it to be better, or for that
matter worse, than the ones al-
ready in existence. The position
has engendered another complex
namely the landlord complex.
Not without reason he is setting
up a new standard in higher rents,
and one such who recently sought
to translate his cabaret ideas into
action in the midst of a peaceful
residential quarter in Kowloon,
was dealt a sharp rap in the
knuckles by all his other tenants
threatening to move out *en masse*.
There is much more to be said
about the problem, but *Con-
troversialist* has been accused of
having turned a note of warning,
while sounding a note of warning,
is content to leave the subject at
that.

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AUTOBIOGRAPHY

By Edward Kelly, Poodle Faker-N

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Public to tell the story of our life.
Well, there were quite a number
of girls we might have married.
For instance, the first girl we
even really loved was a waitress
named Queenie, who used to
serve tea in a bun shop we fre-
quented.

We never married her because
she was thirty-eight and we
were seventeen. We offered to,
but she said she had quite enough
to do to support her husband.

Of course, we already had a
past. She was Matilda. We
named our motor-car after Ma-
tilda. We were fifteen and she
was fourteen. One day, in the
ordinary course of business, we
pulled her hair, and instead of
kicking us in the shins, she burst
into tears. We were afraid that
she would tell her mother and get
us into trouble, so we put our
arms around her to soothe her.

Suddenly we felt we were going
to kiss her. We did it, hating
ourselves for a sissy all the time.
And the minx kissed us back. It
was done. We were in love. We
told her brother, our best friend,
and he said, "What, that kid?
Why, she's frightened of mice."

Our castles tumbled about our
ears, and next time we saw
Matilda we threw a rotten apple
at her.

Olive was next. We loved
Olive with a consuming love that
burnt us all up. She was a pretty
girl, but something went wrong
with her. Perhaps she gambled,
or, even worse, taught in Sunday
School. We forgot now.

But we remember Gerlie. We
fell so hard for her we were
bruised all over. She was the
greatest little girl in the greatest
little world in the world. But
Gerlie was the kind who went in
for open air sports—the sports-
who own single seaters, and we
were too poor in those days. We
were wiped off.

By now we were becoming a
connoisseur of dames, and what
with Evelyn and Leslie and Molly
and Sheila and half a dozen
others who fitted through our life
just about when we were twenty-
one, we were violently in love so
often that our life became a
round of man-bait.

That was until Nancy came
into our life. Nancy was a
svelte blonde. We never dared
ask her to marry us, and used to
call ourselves a worm for not pluck-
ing up enough courage to do it.
But as there were about seventeen
other worms hanging around, we
don't think she ever missed us.

Oh, and there was Pearl, whom
we should have married. It was
her fault that we didn't. When
we asked her if she would be ours,
or let us be hers, she said "No",
and that was that.

Just at the moment we are
heart-free. Applications will be
received between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fri-
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ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.
"Pobbles"

Yes, dear, the "Gold Falcon" is
a "teaser," isn't it? It might be
Miss Bowen's work, but we doubt
it. In fact, we think our guess is
old O'Shea. The book has that air
of "clean fun" about it that we as-
sociate with his work.

"Lover of Quotations"

The lines
"Lives of great men all remind us
"We can make our lives sublime
"And in dying leave behind us
"Footmarks on the sands of
time,"
are new to us, "Lover of
Quotations." They sound very
much like Rupert Brooke.

J. H. M. R-K

What a lot of initials you have!
We hope the printer has got them
right. We shall be very glad to
take you to see Dickens' birthplace.
(Such a humane writer, and so
prolific.) Meet us at about 9.30
on Thursday; and we'll have a
couple of "quick ones" first.

"Buttercup"

"Who is, our greatest living
novelist?" Golly, what a question!
Do you want us to offend half our
acquaintances? Here's our "short
list" for you "Buttercup," and you
must choose your own from that.
Here goes!

- * A. E. W. Mason.
- * Warwick Deeping.
- * Hugh Walpole.
- * Gilbert Frankau.
- * Ulla Tash.

The ones marked * are special-
ly good, "Buttercup." We put in
Miss Tash to represent the modern
school; the others are all pre-Kelly.



"I hope we can send him to Sandhurst. It would be such
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FALSE PRETENCE CHARGES

TWO EUROPEANS IN DOCK

Francis Raymond, 27, unemployed, a native of Manila, and Edward Shuster, 28, unemployed, of Hongkong, were brought before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning, on a charge of obtaining \$76 from Jimmy's Kitchen, Wanchai branch, on March 23, by false pretences.

It is alleged that the defendants changed twenty American trade dollars, which they purported to be valued at \$3.80 local currency, whereas they were only worth one dollar.

When charged, both men pleaded not guilty.

Detective-Sergeant D. C. W. Fitches applied for 48 hours' remand in police custody. He understood the defendants were applying for bail.

He added that from enquiries made by the police the defendants were not believed to be the real culprits. They were in company with another man who was in custody and would appear before his Worship to-morrow.

His Worship suggested bail of \$200 each.

Sergeant Fitches remarked that Shuster thought he could raise bail of \$100 for each, but the first defendant was unable to raise any money at all.

His Worship remanded the defendants, and fixed bail in the sum of \$100 each.

STREET ORATOR FINED

JAPANESE BOYCOTT TALK

A Chinese brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning, on a charge of loitering in Chin Loong Street, was said to be talking politics, in which Chiang Kai-shek and the anti-Japanese boycott figured. He had collected about 50 hearers around him before the police intervened.

The defendant pleaded that he was sent out by a monk.

Sub-Inspector Thorpe observed that he did not know a monk was interested in politics, but he was sure the defendant was. It was usual for people like the defendant to go about pretending to sell books on fortune-telling while they were really giving political speeches.

Defendant was fined \$25, or three weeks' imprisonment.

FATAL TAXI MISHAP

WOMAN DIES FROM INJURIES

A fatal motor accident occurred on the Lai-chikok Road last night, when a Blue taxi, driven by Chan Fook, collided with a Chinese woman and caused head injuries from which she died after admission to hospital.

The police were informed by the taxi-driver that the woman unexpectedly ran out of the verandah, with the apparent intention of crossing over to the other side of the road, and the driver was unable to pull up in time.

BATHING EXCURSIONS.

MOTOR SERVICE TO CASTLE PEAK

As previously announced, Whit's Car Hire and Drive Yourself Service are inaugurating a daily motor service to the Castle Peak beaches, as from to-day.

The first car will leave the Y.M.C.A. this afternoon at 1.45, and will return at 5.30 p.m. The second trip will be made at 5.30 p.m., returning to Kowloon at 8.30 p.m., whilst on moon-light nights an extra excursion will be made at 9.30 p.m. and return at 1 a.m. The fare for the first trip, including the use of a bathing shed and tea at Castle Peak, will be \$2.50 per head, children in arms being charged \$1 on this trip only. A charge of \$2.25 will be made for the second journey, which will include use of bathing shed only, while for the third trip a charge of \$2.50 will be made and will include the use of the bathing shed.

Any licensed driver with a party of four may drive one of the Service Company's cars at any of the above-mentioned rates. Parties of four will be called for if requested at any one address.

STAGE SET FOR MOSCOW TRIAL

(Continued from Page 1.)

acting under instructions from somebody who wished to hinder industrial developments in the U.S.S.R.

GREATLY DISTURBED.

Mr. Monkhouse, says Sir Esmond Ovey, was greatly disturbed when presented with Mr. Thornton's apparent voluminous "confessions."

Mr. Monkhouse suggested three explanations of Thornton's "confessions."

First, he may have written down everything suggested to him by the O.G.P.U. or the prosecutor intending to deny it at the trial (which is due to commence to-morrow).

Secondly, he may have lost his nerve.

Thirdly, he may have been indiscreet in helping needy Russians.

MENTAL APATHY.

Sir Esmond Ovey had earlier reported that Thornton appeared to have lost his power of concentration, and had been reduced to mental apathy.

Mr. Strang, after a conference with Thornton on April 4, reported that Thornton was worn out. He had been continuously interrogated since his arrest, once for twenty-one hours without interruption.

CONFESSION REPUDIATED.

Thornton admitted giving small presents for obtaining information on behalf of the Company, but totally denied the other charges and repudiated the confession shown to Mr. Nordwall.

The despatch states that the O.G.P.U. tried unsuccessfully the whole time to make Thornton confess that he was working for the Intelligence Service and that he was obtaining funds for his activities from the British Consulate.

Mr. MacDonald, whose examination had not been completed during the period covered by the White Paper, was unable to speak about it to the Embassy officials.

Mr. Strang reported on April 4 that Mr. Thornton was astounded at what occurred upon his confrontation with Mr. MacDonald.

He totally denied Mr. MacDonald's statement that he gave MacDonald 4,500 roubles for spying services and that he received from MacDonald information about the number and calibre of shells and electrical mobilisation plans.

MacDonald was embarrassed by Thornton's astonishment, whereupon Thornton was made to sit with his back to MacDonald.

EXTORTION.

Sir Esmond Ovey points out in the course of the White Paper that the alleged evidence on the subject can only come from the confessions extorted from the prisoners under conditions which one can only presume were at least as trying as those to which Mr. Monkhouse was subjected.—*Reuter.*

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

ONE OF THE GREATEST LESSONS IN LIFE IS TO LEARN, NOT TO DO WHAT ONE LIKES, BUT TO LIKE WHAT ONE DOES.—H. Black.

The steam launch Kwangtung, which was yesterday reported missing, has returned to port, having been delayed by fog.

A Chinese woman was admitted to hospital yesterday suffering from injuries received through an attempt to alight from a moving bus in Prince Edward Road.

We are informed that the French Consul, M. R. Soulangue-Teissier, is returning home via Indo-China and will leave the Colony on Saturday. M. Dufauré, de la Trésorerie, Consul-General, arrived this morning, and will take charge of the French Consulate in Hongkong.

The Hon. Treasurer of the St. John Ambulance New Territories Medical Benevolent Branch begs to acknowledge with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of the following donations:—Bishop Perry, Rhodé Island Disease, per Dr. Arthur Woo, \$40; Mr. Ng Yuk-tung (per Mr. Tang Pak-kau), \$30; Mrs. Southern, \$20; for purchase of medical supplies per Mr. Choy Cheong, \$50.

Charged with the theft of parts of a saw at the On Cheung timberyard, Lockhart Road, which is under distraint of the Registrar of the Supreme Court, an ex-employee of the yard was fined \$100 or two months by Mr. Schofield in the General Police Court this morning. Detective-Sub-Inspector Nolloth said that with the parts missing, the sawing machine would be rendered useless. "If the Registrar wants to sell the machine with these parts missing, he will find it extremely difficult," he added.

Shikanosuki Iwai, 28, an unemployed Japanese, who was charged with being found in the Colony without valid passport, again appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones to-day at the end of a week's remand, when it was stated that arrangements for the defendant's repatriation to Japan had been made by the Japanese Consul-General. Pending his departure to-morrow by the Chishima Maru, Det. Sgt. Mottram asked for an order of expulsion and commitment to the House of Detention. Both orders were made by the Magistrate.

LONDON EATING LESS

TAKING LESS TIME ABOUT IT

FLIGHT FROM SNACK BAR PERCHES

An extensive tour of London's principal hotels, restaurants, and sandwich bars to discover what, and where, the modern generation eats, revealed the facts that people are:

Eating less.
Eating quicker.
Choosing their food more carefully, and losing the "snack-bar," but not the coffee stall habit.

A year ago it was only necessary to erect a long counter and install some high stools to ensure making a handsome profit. To-day, with the exception of one or two specialised places with a regular clientele, situated mostly in Mayfair, these quick-lunch establishments are being driven out of business by the restaurants and cafes. Dozens have been compelled to close down in the last few months, unable to attract sufficient business "to pay even their rent."

A striking example showing how this essentially American habit has failed to conquer London was furnished by Signor Tagliani, the celebrated restaurateur, who has an unrivalled knowledge of the eating habits and tastes of the English.

"In my latest restaurant," he stated, "I experimented with a snack bar, to find out whether such an innovation would prove popular with my customers. It is the first time I have taken this step, and it will be the last."

"It tends to destroy the intimate atmosphere which is the secret of all successful restaurants, for diners in evening dress do not always care to find themselves sitting next to someone dressed in plus fours who is smoking a pipe."

"In my opinion, sandwich bars will never become a habit with English people, in spite of the undoubtedly success they enjoy in America."

This view was shared by the proprietor of a fashionable quick-lunch bar in Mayfair, who admitted that although he was doing well at the moment, it was only a matter of time before his customers would transfer their attention elsewhere. It was not the informality, or the simplicity of the food that attracted them; they went wherever they knew they would meet their friends.

On the other hand, the old-established restaurants declare that, in spite of the fact that people are eating less than before the depression—and eating faster, too—there has definitely been a revival of the pre-war custom of dining and entertaining out, and also a tendency to display greater familiarity with the art of choosing the right food at the right time.

Coffee stalls, too, are doing a roaring trade.
"My takings average £25 a

RELIGIOUS CLAUSE MADE VOID

1910 SETTLEMENT BY LORD BORWICK

Mr. Justice Bennett gave a considered judgment in a question raised by a condition in a settlement made in 1910 by Lord Borwick of Hawshead, then Sir Robert Hudson Borwick, for the benefit of his grandchildren.

A clause stated that if any grandchild should, at any time, before obtaining a vested interest in the trust fund, become a Roman Catholic, or not be openly and avowedly a Protestant, he or she should forfeit a part of his or her share in the capital or income of the fund.

The trustees asked that this condition be construed for their guidance as three of the grandchildren became Roman Catholics.

Mr. Justice Bennett held that the clause was inoperative because, he said, it would restrain a parent doing his duty to his children.

"Parent's duty," said the Judge, "ought to be discharged solely with a view to the moral and spiritual welfare of their children and that duty ought not to be influenced by mercenary considerations, affecting their children's worldly welfare."

He had to ask himself whether the parents of the respondent grandchildren in this case might have been deterred from discharging their duty in regard to religious instruction by this condition, and the answer must be "Yes."

He held, therefore, that the condition was void, and that the shares of the grandchildren, were not to be cut down because of it.

DISMISSAL OF POLICE CHIEF

DE VALERA DECLINES TO GIVE REASON

Mr. De Valera was questioned by Mr. Cosgrave in the Dail on the removal of General O'Duffy from the office of Commissioner of the Civic Guard.

Mr. Cosgrave asked the reason, and whether any charge was made against General O'Duffy.

Mr. De Valera replied that no charge had been made against General O'Duffy. He was removed because in the opinion of the Government a change of Commissioner was desirable in the public interest.

Pressed by Mr. Cosgrave, Mr. De Valera declined to give any reason, and also declined to afford any facilities for a discussion on the matter.

Dr. Emile Brumpt, the French parasitologist and a well-known figure in the medical world, has been lying dangerously ill at the Pasteur special clinic in Paris with one of the rarest and most virulent diseases known to modern medical science.

The disease, which he contracted while dissecting a guinea pig, is Rocky Mountain spotted fever.

"BUY CHINESE"

MOVEMENT INAUGURATED IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Apr. 10. More than 5,000 people, including several Government officials, attended a meeting held under the auspices of the First Special District Citizens' Association in inaugurating a "Buy Chinese" movement.

A number of speeches were delivered, pointing out that buying Chinese products and boycotting Chinese goods was the duty of all Chinese citizens who could not take up arms and fight the Japanese at the war front.—*Reuter.*

REIN AT MANILA.

DIRECT FLIGHT FROM HONGKONG

Senor Rein Loring, the Spanish airman, left Kai Tak Aerodrome on his flight from Hongkong to Manila direct at 10.45 a.m. yesterday, and reached his destination at 5.11 p.m.

In a cablegram to Senor Jose Gascón, ch. Gonzalez de Bernedo, consul, for Guatemala, Senor Rein sent greetings to friends in Hongkong and stated he made a good landing in Manila shortly after 5 p.m.

The health return for last week shows 38 cases of small-pox, and 31 deaths from the disease. A further eight cases were notified yesterday. Also reported last week were six cases of meningitis (three fatal) and three of typhoid (two fatal), as well as 60 deaths from tuberculosis.

"night," the owner of one of them stated, "and I can give you examples of plenty of other stalls which are doing even better business. I could open a snack bar to-morrow if I wanted to, but I know it would be throwing my money away."

America, it seems, can influence us in many ways, but she cannot tell us how, or where to eat.

RADIO BROADCAST

STUDIO CONCERT FOR TO-NIGHT

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 355 metres (84.5 k/c.). 4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme. 7-7.20 p.m. Operatic. Orchestral—Carmen Suite—Prelude to Act 1 (Bizet). Orchestral—Carmen Suite—Habanera (Bizet).

Philadelphia Symphony Orch. 1356. Song—Martha—Like a Dream (Flores). Beniamino Gigli (Tenor). 7109. Band—Aida—Introduction and Moorish Ballet (Verdi). Band—Aida—Grand March and Finale (Verdi). Creator's Band. 35730.

7.20 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations. Selected London and New York Stock Quotations, etc.

7.20-8.30 p.m. A Concert. 8 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

Piano Solo—Cradle Song (Brahms). Piano Solo—Under the Palms (Albeniz).

Alfred Cortot. 1271. Violin Solo—Dance of the Males (Friml-Kreisler). Violin Solo—Blue Skies (Berlin-Kreisler).

Fritz Kreisler. 1233. Song—Evening Fair (Bourget-Debussy).

Song—The Wistful Moon (Verlaine-Saul). Mary Garden (Soprano). 1439.

Piano Solo—Album Leaf (Grieg). Piano Solo—Capriccio (Brahms). Harold Bauer. 1413.

Song—Absent (Glenn-Metcalf). Song—A Dream (Cory-Bardett).

Richard Crooks (Tenor). 4000. Violin Solo—Aloha Oe (Farrell to Loe). (Liliuokalani-Kreisler).

Violin Solo—From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water (Cadmian-Kreisler). Fritz Kreisler. 1115.

Song—At Parting (Peterson-Rogers). Song—Pirate Dreams (Garnett-Huerter).

Ernestine Schumann-Heink (Contralto). 1300.

Piano Solo—Tango (Albeniz). Piano Solo—Soaring (Schumann). Wilhelm Bachaus. 1445.

Song—A May Morning (Weatherly-Danza). Song—Boat Song (Moses-Ware). Lambert Murphy (Tenor). 4018.

8.30-9 p.m. Variety. Band—Shepherd's Hey. Mayfair Band. 20641.

Song—Pampas Grass. Yole Fujiwara. 4044.

Duet for Two Pianos—Ragamuffin. Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 21029.

Humorous Song—A Tale of the Ticker. Frank Crumit. 22154.

Band—Gloriousness. Mayfair Band. 20641.

Song—Song of Autumn. Yole Fujiwara. 4044.

Duet for Two Pianos—Dance of the Paper Dolls. Victor Arden and Phil Ohman. 21029.

Humorous Song—The Return of the Gay Caballero. Frank Crumit. 22154.

9-9.30 p.m. Orchestral and Band Music.

Japanese Nocturne (Eichheim). Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 7260.

Minuet (Boccherini). Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 7260.

Cleopatra (Mancinelli, arr. Creator). Creator's Band. 20645.

Credo Rhapsody (Tellington). Duke Ellington and His Orch. 36049.

9.30-10.15 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by the Y.M.C.A. Male Voice Choir.

Programme.

1. (a) Song of the Vikings (E. Fanin).

(b) Deep River (Negro Spiritual) (arr. Burleigh).

2. Songs—Selected.

3. (a) A-Hunting We Will Go (arr. Dunhill).

(b) Comrade's Song (A. Adam).

4. Songs—Selected.

5. (a) Sailor's Chorus ("The Flying Dutchman"—Wagner).

(b) Soldier's Chorus ("Faust"—Gounod).

10.15-10.30 p.m.

The Moonlight Sonata (Beethoven) played by Harold Bauer. 6590/1.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Press News.

10.33 p.m. Close Down.

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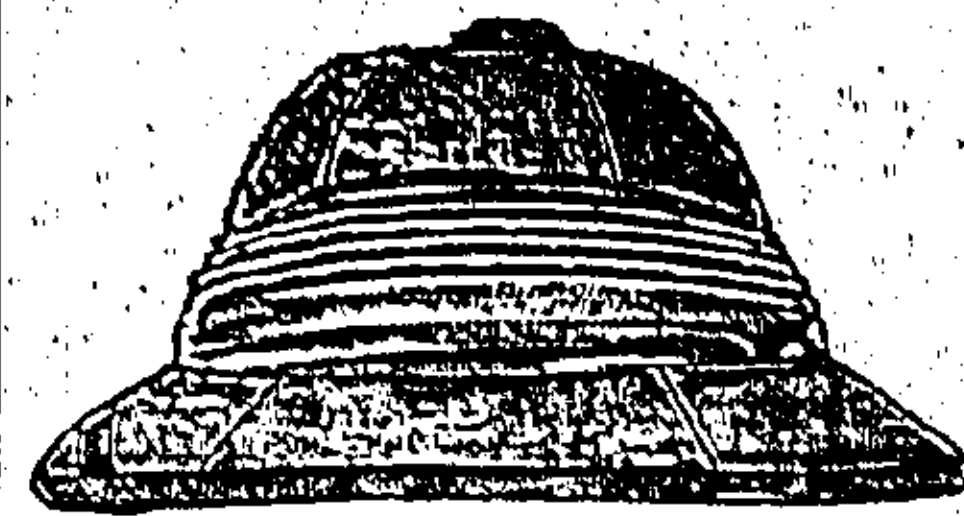
Dame Maude Lawrence, Ickenham Hall, Middlesex, first Director of Women's Establishments at the Treasury and formerly Chief Woman Inspector of the Board of Education, left £172,382, net personality £168,751.

Mr. Francis Macaskie, Berwick Grange, Harrogate, for years Chairman of Directors of the "Yorkshire Evening News," Chairman of the New Century Publishing Company, left £87,949.

Miss Mildred Duff, Gunton-road, Upper Clapton, a Commissioner in the Salvation Army, who is said to have inspired Bernard Shaw's play, "Major Barbara," left £11,283, net personality £9,176.

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each other they grew up so much alike that it was almost impossible to recognise the one from the other.

The elder became third Earl of Durham. When he died in September, 1928, he was succeeded by his brother, who, however, died a few months later.

The present Viscount Knutsford was the younger of twins, and succeeded to the title on the death of his brother in 1931. The present Earl of Clancarty had a twin brother who died when he was three years old.

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MAMAK CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY INCOGNITOS

BRILLIANT
RECORDRADIO DEPRIVED
OF TITLEYESTERDAY'S MATCH
DECIDES ISSUE

By virtue of their defeat of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps yesterday, the Incognitos have won the Mamak Hockey League.

The Club has achieved this in their first year of its existence in the tournament, depriving the Radio Sports Club of the title which they won last winter when the league came into operation.

The incognitos owe their success to the generous gesture of the Mamak committee, who allowed an extension to the official closing time of the season, thus enabling the Incogs to complete their fixtures.

It is reported, however, that a protest is to be lodged with regard to the points awarded the Incognitos by H. M. S. Tamar when the latter were unable to field a team to play off their fixture, although on what grounds such a protest is based has not been disclosed.

FINAL LEAGUE TABLE.

The final positions of the first seven teams are as follow—

Club.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
*Incognitos	20	18	1	1	58	11	39
Radio S.C.	21	18	1	2	72	16	37
St. Andrews	20	15	2	3	61	14	32
1st H.K.S. Bty.	20	15	2	3	67	23	32
Royal Signals	20	12	3	5	57	25	27
Wishart	18	13	0	5	37	27	26
R.A.S.C.	21	11	3	7	41	27	25

* Two points conceded by H.M.S. Tamar.

SEVEN GOALS TO NIL.

The Incognitos swamped the Royal Army Ordnance Corps seven goals to nil at Caroline Hill yesterday in the Mamak Tournament. Throughout the game they brought a heavy pressure to bear on the military goal, claiming three goals in the first half and four in the second. Their attackwork and understanding was excellent, and it was all the military defenders could do to cope with their sallies on the goal.

When the game had been in progress for about 10 minutes, Xavier found the net from a melee in front of the goal to open the scoring. Shortly after he added the second. Before the half time whistle sounded, R. C. Reed gave them their third with a shot that completely beat the goal keeper.

In the early stages of the second half, the military defenders put up a stout resistance, and for some while held the Incognitos forwards. But the pressure was too much for them, and four more goals were added.

R. C. Reed netted one, and Xavier netted one, while Sousa with two brilliant solo efforts netted twice. His first goal was particularly outstanding, for he got possession of the ball in mid-field and dribbled through four players to net.

Protest to be Entered.

The Incognitos have now won the championship, but it is understood that a protest is being lodged with regard to the points awarded them by H.M.S. Tamar not playing their game on Sunday morning.

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World's Indoor Running
Broken by Americans

New York, Apr. 4.

Three indoor world records were equalled recently in the sprint series of 50, 60 and 70-yard dashes at the New York Curb Exchange games in the 106th Brooklyn Armory, as Emmett Toppino and Ed Siegel won the first two heats, respectively, and Toppino won the 70 yards final.

In the other feature, Glenn Cunningham, sturdy Kansas runner, won the 800-meter special, finishing five strides ahead of Glen Dawson of Tulsa, Okla.

More than 5000 fans gave Toppino, the New Orleans flyer, a great ovation when the time of seven seconds was announced for the 70-yard final. The stocky Louisiana University torpedo had equalled the record set five years ago by Loren Murchison.

LIKE STEE SPRING.

Away like a steel spring at the bark of the gun, Toppino pounded out a lead and held it to be yarn, finishing two feet in front of Ed

Siegel, the blond New York whirlwind.

Frank Wykoff, the California whippet, was just a stride behind Siegel and running strong. Ira Singer of the Millrose A. M., New York, finished fourth. Wykoff had taken a poor start, after jumping the gun once.

The runners qualified for the 70-yard final in the preliminary 50 and 60-yard heats.

Toppino streaked down the board straightway to win the 50-yard event in 5.2 seconds, equaling the world record.

WORLD MARK EQUALLED. Siegel bulletted through the 60-yard heat in 6.2 seconds, equaling the world mark, a feat which was accomplished six times in 1932 by Toppino. Wykoff finished only a few inches behind him.

Unfortunately for Toppino and Siegel, only two official timers showed up at the meet, Col. Charles Dieges and Hugh Brady, and consequently none of the record-equaling performances will be approved by the Amateur Athletic Union.—Associated Press.

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NO L.T.A. COUNCIL
MEETING TO-DAY

POSTPONED UNTIL
NEXT TUESDAY

There will be no meeting of the Council of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association to-day, according to an official announcement.

It has been postponed on account of the annual inspection of the Volunteers, and will be held on Tuesday next, April 18, at Mr. R. E. Lindell's chambers, Supreme Court, at 5.30 p.m.

All club representatives to the Council are urged to attend this meeting in view of the importance of the agenda.

FISTIC CHAMPION TO
VISIT SHANGHAIFormer World's Title
Holder on Tour

Emile (Spider) Pladner, former flyweight champion of the world, will visit Shanghai during next month or June.

Pladner is slated to leave Paris on April 14 on a tour of Japan and Australia, and will stop off at Shanghai while en route to the Antipodes.

Pladner, although he has slipped from the top rung on which he reigned two years ago, is still accounted as one of the cleverest bantamweights in Europe. The fighting Frenchman should have little trouble in cleaning up the opposition in Japan, but will run into plenty of hot water while in Australia.

SEARCH FOR OPPONENT.

Sammy Sofoulis, match-maker for the Shanghai Auditorium, is busy looking around for scrap-iron good enough to take on the Frenchman, who fights anything from flyweights to featherweights. The U. S. S. Huston boasts of three good scrappers in these classes and provided a suitable opponent for Pladner can be located by the time he arrives here, it is understood that local fistic followers will see him in action.

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WALTER HAGEN GOING TO ENGLAND

BUT PURPOSE IS
UNKNOWNMAY LEAD RYDER
CUP TEAMPOSSIBLE DEFEAT
OF AMERICANS

Walter Hagen, it is reported is going over to play golf in Britain this summer. But what is puzzling the experts is whether he will come at the head of the American Ryder Cup team, as member of it, or as a private individual to play in the British Open championship at St. Andrews.

Whatever his status, Hagen is assured of a great welcome from golfers here, who remember his past efforts to win British golfing laurels, and affectionately recall his fondness for showmanship while at the same time forgiving his occasional lateness for a match.

HAGEN'S LAST VISIT.

Hagen's last visit to St. Andrews was in 1921, the year made memorable by the tie between Roger Wethered and the former St. Andrews' caddy, Jack Hutchison. Wethered not only trod on his ball at the thirteenth hole in the last round, a mishap which cost him a penalty stroke, but also took a poor five to the easy four obtainable at the 18th.

In that year Jim Barnes led the field at the end of the first day, while Hagen, as usual, pulled up in his last two rounds and finished in 302, the same total as Barnes.

Hagen came over the following year to Sandwich, and won the championship. The next year he was second to Arthur Havers at Troon. Then he won the title again in 1924 at Hoylake.

Jim Barnes won at Froom in 1925, when Hagen did not make the trip, and Hagen was third at St. Annies to Bobby Jones in 1926. He missed St. Andrews' in 1927, but won again at Sandwich in 1928 where Gene Sarazen was an unlucky second.

HIS BEST WIN.

Hagen scored his finest win at Muirfield in 1923, where in the second round, played in a storm of wind and sleet, he completed the course in 67, one of the greatest rounds ever played.

But Hagen was apparently not satisfied with this wonderful record. He once said he was going to try to emulate Harry Vardon and get his name six times on the championship cup. But he will have to hurry up as he is now 40 years old, and the younger school are thundering at his heels.

BRITAIN'S CHANCES.

"American golfers stand a bigger chance of defeat this year at the hands of British players than since the year 1924, when Walter Hagen opened the long run of American victories by capturing the British Open Championship."

That is the remarkable statement attributed to Albert R. Gates, business administrator of the American Professional Golfers' Association.

Lack of time is what he most fears.

CROWDED SCHEDULE.

Within the space of 25 days, the American team must play in the United States Open at Chicago, he says, cross the Atlantic, meet the British in the Ryder Cup matches and then go to St. Andrews for the British Open.

That schedule, it is declared, threatens the loss of two of America's greatest international prizes. Never before have golfers been called upon to face so formidable a fight against time.

Americans have won the British Open nine years in succession—since Walter Hagen started the parade in 1924.

The Ryder Cup results are level. The British team won in 1926 and 1929; America in 1927 and 1931.



NEGOTIATED—Picture taken during the National Hunt meeting at Cheltenham, shows a portion of the huge field in the Seven Springs Handicap hurdle race taking one of the jumps in fine style. Not a single horse fell at this obstacle. (Photo Planet News).

Shanghai
Interport
Soccer XISELECTED
SIDE FOR TIENTSIN

Shanghai will send an Interport soccer team to Tientsin and an S.F.A. side was selected on Friday to clash with the representatives of the Northern city at Easter. The following players have been selected to make the trip—

Goal: Chow (Tung Hwa)
Backs: Shute (Police) and Hastie (Argylls)
Halves: Westwood (Police), Park (Police) and Hay (Argylls)
Forwards: Wyllie (Argylls), K. C. Chen (Tung Hwa), N. Z. Lee (Tung Hwa), Duffy (Police) (Captain and Manager), and Hughes (Argylls).
Reserves: Voong (Tung Hwa) and H. Madar (S.R.C.)

CORINTHIANS IN THE
AMATEUR CUPExperience Difficulty in
Arranging Games

It is now practically certain that the Corinthians will compete next season in the Amateur Cup as well as in the Football Association Cup.

There have been constant rumours that the Corinthians would no longer be permitted exemption until the Third Round of the F. A. Cup in consequence of their poor showing in recent years.

Latest reports, however, are to the effect that they will figure, as usual, in the Third Round next season and this is probably the result of the genuine endeavours to improve their standard of play.

The suggestion that they should enter the Amateur Cup is a sound one. After defeat in the F. A. Cup the Corinthians experience great difficulty in arranging first round fixtures.

This is because interest in the team quickly vanishes when they are no longer interested in the annual Cup struggle.

If the Corinthians enter the Amateur Cup and receive an average measure of success interest in the club will be sustained until practically the end of the season.

Rolla Wins Fourth Extra
Ladies' Race at North Point

The fourth extra ladies race was sailed at North Point yesterday over a course of 4.7 miles. Details:

"H" Class Started at 3.1 p.m.

Rolla 4.25.32 4.25.32

(Mrs. T. P. K. Kemble)

Colleen 4.32.12 4.29.04

(Mrs. L. Maraden)

"A" & "G" Class Started at 3.6 p.m.

Aileen 4.38.53 4.38.53

(Mrs. M. Bolt)

Boojum 4.41.24 4.41.00

(Mrs. P. Fowkes)

Toynette 4.49.15 4.43.46

(Miss O. Patchett)

Eunice 4.46.02 4.40.33

(Mrs. Dunlop)

"A" Class Started at 3.15 p.m.

Wasp II 4.48.20

(Mrs. Griffin)

La Linde 4.44.10

(Mrs. T. Mackle)

Jan 4.42.04

(Mrs. Krogh Moe)

Joss 4.42.51

(Mrs. Stanton)

Tone Blue 4.43.31

(Mrs. Adams)

Sunday's Race.

Full results of Sunday's cruiser race round the Island are:

Imogen (1.45) 9.30. D.N.F.

(D. Marshall)

Candela (1.34) 9.41. D.N.S.

Brenda (1.15) 10. D.N.F.

(F. V. Jensen)

Cherub (1.7) 10.8 9.11.25.6

(H. H. Chambers)

Sealark (1.7) 10.8 9.06.10.5

(E. Cock)

Tavy (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.

Isis (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.

Luana (1.7) 10.8 D.N.S.

Norseman (1.4) 10.21 D.N.F.

(L. Nicholson)

Curlew (1.4) 10.21 9.13.59.7

(Mr. Mousley)

Typhoon (1.4) 10.21 7.43.57.1

(Cpt. Fowkes)

Tern (1.4) 10.21 D.N.S.

Queen Bee (1.4) 10.21 9.14.10.8

(Mr. Grier)

Monsoon (1.4) 10.21 8.19.20.4

(H. Duley)

Irene (1.4) 10.30 D.N.O.

U and I (2.1) 10.54 8.00.40.2

(Cmdr. Drummond)

Azuma (2.1) 10.54 8.17.11.3

(E. Lambert)

Wanderer (1.5) 11. D.N.S.

La Cigale 11.15 D.N.F.

(N. Croucher)

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The FOURTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 15th April, and on Monday, 17th April, 1933, commencing at 12.30 p.m. on both days.

The First Bell will be rung at 12 Noon.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for Payment of All Chits, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 2nd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 10.30 a.m. on both days. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, Pic Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting. Tickets will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary,

Hongkong, 10th April, 1933.

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the Third Extra Race Meeting to be held in Macao on Sunday, 23rd April, 1933, may be obtained at the Sports Club, Hongkong Jockey Club Stables, or at the offices of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming, 6, Des Voeux Road Central.

Entries CLOSE at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, 12th April, 1933.

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TRIANGULAR TIE

ARMY & CLUB ON LEVEL TERMS

By defeating the Navy in the Triangular Tournament yesterday the Army tied with the Hongkong Club for first place, both teams having won two, lost one and drawn one. The civilians, goal average is the superior only by a decimal point.

The match was played on the Naval ground at King's Park with the two sides fielding their strongest available teams. The Navy players had a large majority of the Medway team which is undoubtedly the best naval side in the Colony. The Army were most representative and fielded besides British players, four of the leading players of the 1st Regiment. Throughout the match was full of exciting play with each goal being visited in turn. During the opening exchanges both custodians were called upon to save what appeared certain goals and when the teams changed ends there was no score. However, the Army asserted their superiority in the second half and scored twice to their opponents' single point.

The final standing of the teams follows:

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Hongkong H.C.	4	2	1	1	14	11	5
Army	4	2	1	1	10	9	5
Navy	4	2	2	0	14	4	2

FRIENDLY MATCH

Hongkong Hockey Club Juniors
Beat 1st Seconds.

Playing on the Marina the Hongkong Hockey Club second eleven met the junior team of the 1st Regiment and won four goals to three. The civilians held the lead by the odd goal in three at the interval and at one time lead by three goals to one and then four goals to two.

THE FANLING HUNT

MR. FIELD WINS IN POINT TO POINT

The Fanling season closed on Sunday with an excellent point-to-point arranged by Mr. A. H. Potts. The course was over about seven miles of first class hunting country, and the flags being few and far between, a good knowledge of the country was required.

Sixteen riders faced the starter at Souza's Bungalow, and of these less than half completed the course. The first part of the run was a big left-handed circle back to the Portuguese Golf Course, across the main road, and then on to Step Pass. There the line went left again across the river. At this point Mr. Potts had a lead of nearly half a mile, but came to grief at the ford. From here the leaders kept fairly well bunched along the foothills to the Fanling Golf Course, where another left-handed turn brought the field into the home stretch back to "Pott's Look-out."

A quarter of a mile from home there was nothing to choose between the first five, but this number was reduced to four when Mr. Jenkins tried to emulate Absalom when passing a low hanging tree. Mr. Field then brought Jan Stever into the lead, and though Miss Master on White Star made a great effort to catch him, managed to win comfortably. A terrific battle for third place ensued between Mr. Evans and Mr. Pankhurst, the latter just nosing his way home.

Miss Betty Fair made a welcome return to Fanling, and was heard to remark afterwards that she found the ground as hard as ever! Her sister had her first introduction to a China pony, and we understand that she thinks an enforced bath in the middle of the run is a great idea for keeping cool. The result was:

1. Jan Stever, Mr. Field.
 2. White Star, Miss Master.
 3. Malakit, Mr. Pankhurst.
- Distance—Two lengths; three lengths.

KOWLOON GOLF

Four Matches Played in Foursomes Competition.

In the first round of the Foursomes competition organised by the Kowloon Golf Club, Stewart and Milne (16) beat G. Angus and F. Angus (20) one up, and Booker and Doring (14) won from Thomson and Wilson (5) by two up.

Two matches were also played in the second round, the results being as follows.—Rosen and Andrews (30) beat Cave and McKnight (20) by four and three, and Planner and Woolley (13) beat Stoker and McNider (20) one up.

TO-MORROW'S SOCCER.

Fixtures in First and Third Divisions.

The Hongkong Football Association notifies that the following League matches will be played to-morrow:
Division I—Hongkong v. Police, Club ground, at 5 p.m.
Division III—Royal Corps of Signals v. R.A.F., Chatham Road, at 4.20 p.m.

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
Hongkong Banks, \$1760 b.
Hongkong Banks, Lon., \$119½ n.
Chartered Banks, \$13½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$24½ n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$9½ n.
East Asia, \$100 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., M. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls. 4.85 n.
China A. Fin. Pref. Tls. 4.60 n.
Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$1360 b.
Union Ins., \$560 sa.
China Underwriters, \$2.35 n.
China Fire \$620 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$1275 n. x. d.
International Assoc. Tls. 3½ n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$32½ b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 n.
Indo-China, (Pref.) \$25 n.
Indo-China, (Def.) \$20 n.
Shells (Bearer), 43/9 n.
Union Waterboats, \$20¼ n.
Mining.
Benguet, \$20 sa.
Kallans, 21/6 n.
Langkats (Single), Tls. 7 n.
Shai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n.
Shai Loans, Tls. 2.30 n.
Raub, \$9½ n.
Venz Goldfields, \$4.20 n.
Benguet Exp., 27 cts b.
Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$131 n.
H.K. Docks, \$18½ n.
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$4.10 n.
Providents (new), \$1.40 n.
Hongkew, Tls. 225 n.
New Engineering, Tls. 5.50 n.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 95 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. & S. Hotels, \$6.70 b.
H.K. Lands, \$73 sa.
Shai Lands, Tls. 22 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.
Bumfries, \$14 n.
H.K. Realities \$7 n.
Asia Realities "A", M. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B", M. \$22 n.
Chinese Estates, \$95 b.
China Realities, Tls. 10 n.
China Debentures Tls. 98 n.
Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 11.90 n.
Shai Cottons, Tls. 71 n.
Zoong Sings, Tls. 10.75 n.
Wing On Textiles (S.) \$103 n.
Public Utilities.
Tramways, 21¼ sa.
Peak Trams (old), \$16.20 n.
Peak Trams, (new) \$8 n.
Star Ferries, \$81 n.
Yamati Ferries (old), \$32 b.
Yamati Ferries (new), \$31½ b.
China Lights (old), \$12 b.
China Lights (new), \$11½ n.
H.K. Electric, \$72 sa.
Macao Electric, \$25½ n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10½ n.
Telephones (old), \$27.20/30 sa.
China Buses, Tls. 10 n.
Singapore Traction, 2/- n.
Singapore Pref. 12/- n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars \$15 n.
Cald. Macg. (Ord.), Tls. 14 n.
Cald. Macg. (Pref.), Tls. 10½ n.
Canton Ice, \$6 n.
Cements (Com), \$7.05 b.
Cements (old), \$5½ n.
Cements (new), \$1½ n.
H.K. Rope, \$9½ n.
Agricultural, 7 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$27 sa.
Watsons \$8 n.
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$4¼ n.
Mackintoshs, \$21 n.
Sinceres \$15½ n.
Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$220 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$12½ n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$12 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$3¼ n.
United Theatres, Tls. 4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
Constructions (old), \$3.75 n.
Constructions (new), 90 cts n.
B. Ind. G5 Bonds, \$68½ n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, \$5¼ n.
Prem.
Wallace Harpers, \$3 n.

PLANE MISSING.

ANOTHER MAKES FORCED LANDING

Nanking, April 9.
Two aeroplanes of the Chinese Air Force, which left Loyang for Nanking on Saturday, both failed to arrive. One of the planes made a forced landing near Tangshan along the Lunghai Railway owing to engine trouble with the result that one of the two pilots on the plane was seriously injured. The whereabouts of the second machine are not known. A plane has been sent from here to search for the missing aeroplane.—Reuter.

SOCCER SERIES.

China Defeats Portugal in First Game.

Shanghai, Apr. 10.
Displaying superior combination and better shooting, the Chinese soccer players defeated Portugal to-day by 7 goals to 2, in the first match of a series of three games between China and Portugal.—Reuter.

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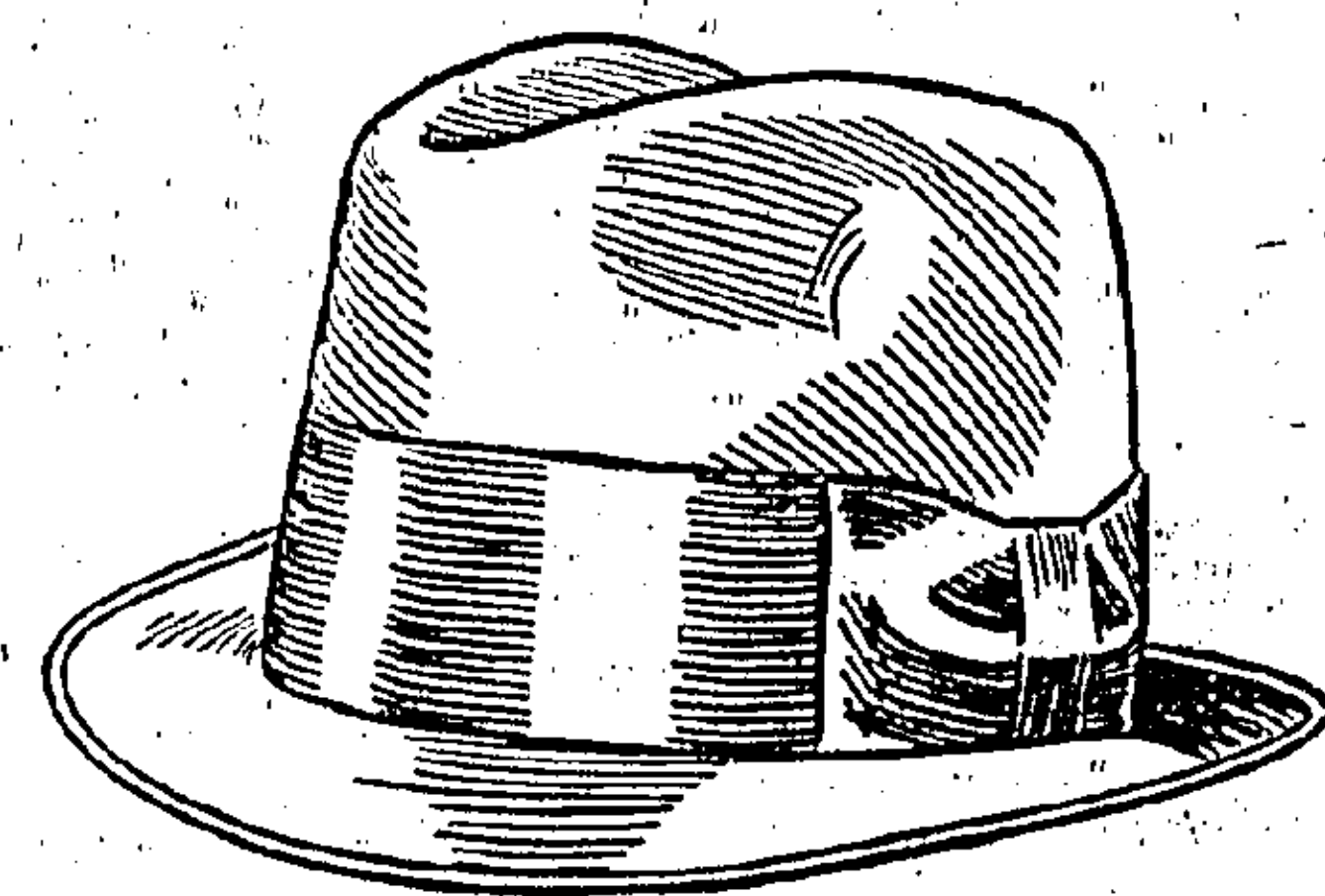
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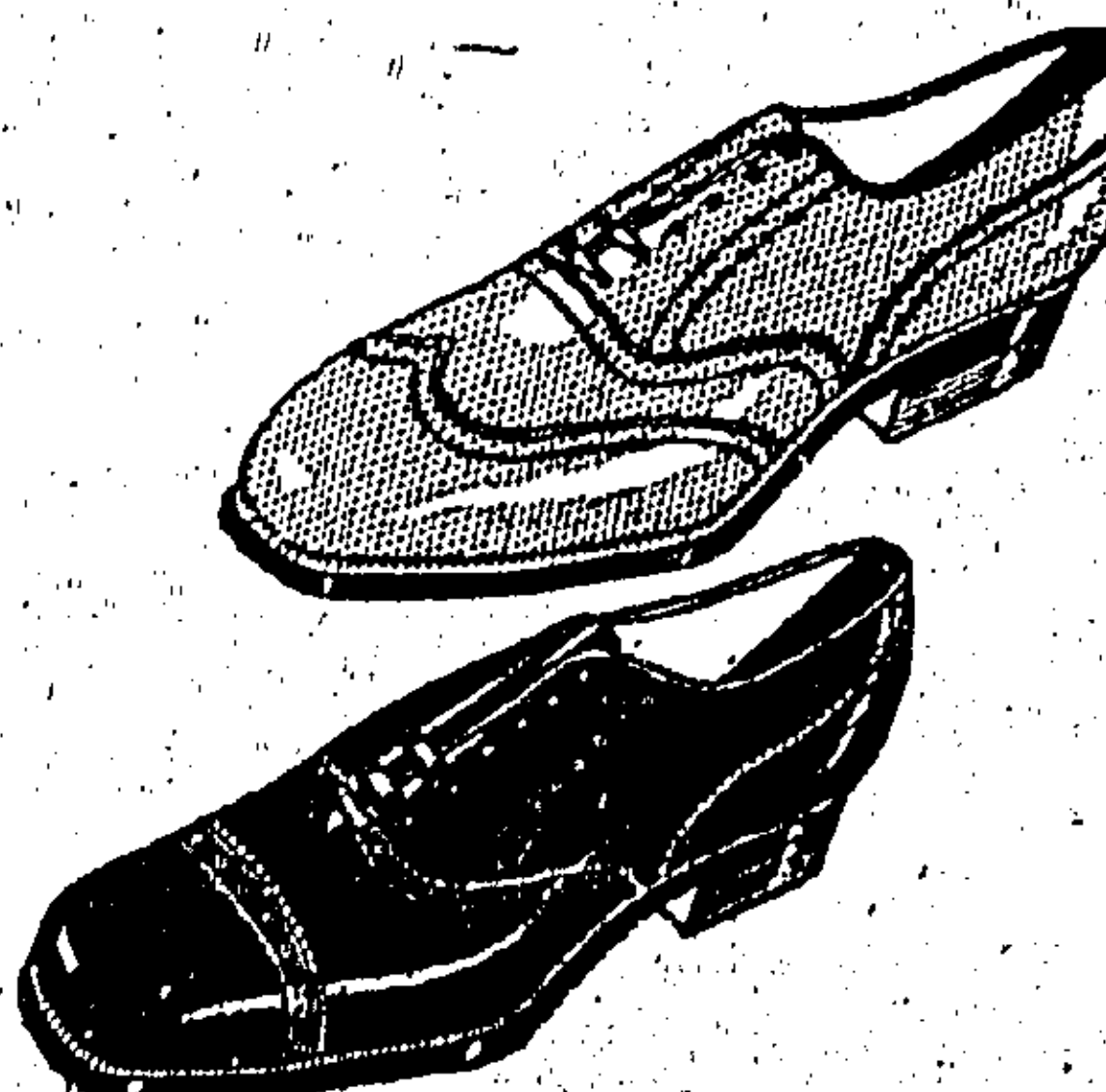
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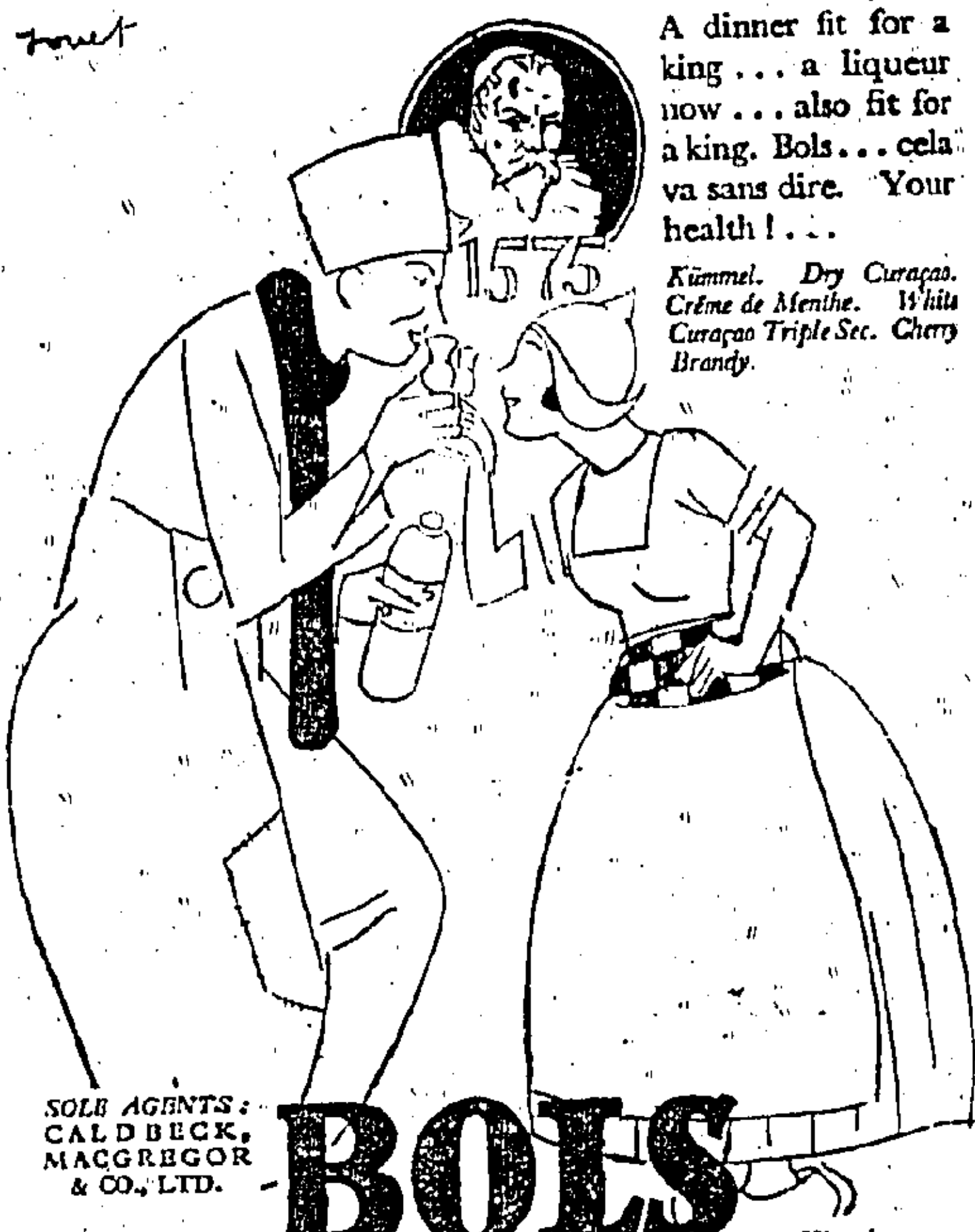
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CINEMA SCREENINGS.

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

An actual occurrence in the annals of Arizona history forms the basis of "Robbers' Roost," the George O'Brien-Maurice O'Sullivan feature coming to the King's Theatre on Thursday. In writing the original novel, Zane Grey drew on the "hijacking" of a wealthy British rancher's herd some thirty years as the theme around which he wove an unusual type of romance. On the screen the stealing is done by William Pawley as the unsuspecting rancher's foreman, with O'Brien an unwilling member of his gang. Reginald Owen portrays the rancher, with Miss O'Sullivan as his sister and Maude Eburne as his aunt. Prominent roles are handled by Walter McGrath, Robert Greig and Doris Lloyd. Louis King directed the film at the locale of the original event.

"Three Wise Girls"

A story of three girls, who loved not wisely but too well, is told in "Three Wise Girls," a Columbia feature, showing Theatre. Mae Clarke, Jean Harlow and Marie Prevost are the three young ladies, who are glorified in this picture, which is one of those smartly produced, sophisticated comedy dramas. Out for all they can get, Cassie, Dot and Gladys thought they could play with fire and not get burned. Love hits them all with varying results—for Gladys it is tragedy; for Cassie it is blissful happiness after a great deal of misunderstanding; and for Dot it hits her so that she doesn't know whether she's coming or going. The men in question are played by Walter Byron, Jameson Thomas and the Jerry Desler of Cassie's adventure, falls in love with the beautiful Cassie Barnes (Jean Harlow), a model, but neglects to tell her he is married. He is working on his divorce. When Cassie learns what's what, she is advised by the worldly Gladys (Mae Clarke) who is being "kept" by Arthur Phelps, a wealthy married banker, to give him up. Cassie does so and is convinced of the wisdom of her decision when Gladys commits suicide on learning that Phelps has returned to his wife. Cassie returns home, fed up with city life. Jerry proves that Cassie misjudged him by coming to Cassie with the happy news that his wife has agreed to divorce him. Sparkling comedy, romantic drama and interesting performances make this a film that should go on your program of entertainment.

"Me And My Gal"

Spencer Tracy has been promoted. After playing numerous "harness bull" roles in many pictures, he appears as a radio car detective in "Me And My Gal," the Fox comedy coming to the King's Theatre very shortly. In this capacity he breaks up a gang of bank robbers and racketeers, earns a substantial reward for bringing to justice a merciless killer and finds romance with a pretty young cashier employed in a restaurant, a role enacted by Joan Bennett. "Me And My Gal" was directed by Raoul Walsh, who transferred to the screen such outstanding productions as "The Yellow Ticket," "The Man Who Came Back" and "Wild Girl."

In "American Madness," Columbia has taken a daring and sensational theme, closest to everyone's heart today, and from it turned out an exciting melodrama, which deserves a high ranking in any list of the best pictures of this year—or any other year, for that matter. "American Madness" is now at the Queen's Theatre. A powerful dramatic characterization by that splendid actor, Walter Huston, as a courageous and human bank president, who fights valiantly to protect the savings of his depositors and to hold the love of his young wife, is the backbone of "American Madness." Huston's performance is one of the finest he has yet brought to the screen, comparable in its acting quality with his memorable portrayal of Abraham Lincoln. But it is the fast-moving pace, the feeling that here is something very close to life going on before our eyes, the exciting spectacle of more than a thousand frenzied persons struggling and trampling one another down, and the human problems in the background of the main characters, that make "American Madness" such a noteworthy offering.

"Street Scene"

William Collier, Jr., is one of the youngest stars in "Street Scene," the Samuel Goldwyn picture showing at the King's Theatre to-day. Hollywood still calls him "Buster" Collier. In appearing with Sylvia Sydney and Estelle Taylor in "Street Scene," young Collier once more assumes the status of a pioneer. For this Elmer Rice prize drama which ran two years in New York, is the first screen play to be filmed in a single act. It is also the first play to be brought intact from stage to screen and the first to be filmed without interludes. Needless to say, it is entirely in dialogue.

LOVE OR MONEY?

(Continued from Page 5.)

to his club so he gave it to me. He knows we have a large family."

There were plenty of others to show Mona attentions. Yes, but they didn't invite her to lunch.

"I'll give you 15 cents and that's that," Mona announced after an unsatisfactory inspection of her purse. "You must have something with you."

"There's a quarter on the shelf Bud can take," Ma called in quick-ly. "I have ice and milk, and there's fruit."

"Don't give him any money, Ma."

threw in Kitty unexpectedly. "Make him walk to Fordham. Do him good. Or—further—get that girl of his to give him a lift in her car."

The conversation at the table ceased abruptly.

"Who says I've got a girl with a car?" Bud inquired in surprise.

"I say so," Kitty appeared in the doorway, conscious of the backing of her mother who had followed her in innocent interest and stood close at hand. "I say so and so does Isabel Flynn. We saw you yesterday at the corner."

"Oh," Bud's face lost all interest. He attacked the food on his plate with renewed energy.

"That was Rus Webber's wife. Rus was buying a pack of cigarettes. My girl!"

"A fine girl Gerlie Webber is, too," Ma remarked. "Rus was lucky to get her. I well remember the day."

Her voice in a rush of reminiscence floated back from an increasing distance. She was in the kitchen getting her purse.

"Wasn't she the girl whose mother wanted a baby with curly hair?" asked Mona amusedly.

"Like yours and Alice's."

"Like ours. And didn't her mother sew bought curls in her bonnet so people seeing her in her carriage—"

"Blond curls and the baby's own hair black as the ace of spades," her mother amended. "That was Gerlie. But for all that she grew up to be good-looking, curls or no curls."

"She doesn't wear false hair now," Bud remarked defensively. "Rus Webber was a good guy. If he married a straight-haired dame then straight hair was the ticket. Bud would hear nothing that sounded like a reflection on Rus or his bride."

"What is your new job—a garage job?" Mona asked as Ma disappeared with the coffee pot.

Bud shifted. "Yeah. Something like that. It may be night work. I've got to show up this morning, anyhow."

His eyes, avoiding hers, attached themselves to a spot on the table cloth. He drank his coffee moodily.

Mona rose, put her chair back in its place, picked up her coat, slid into it, and took up her purse and gloves. She was at the door when Bud called suddenly: "Guess who I saw yesterday, Min!"

He was regarding her shrewdly as if his news was of great importance. A smile hovered over his lips. He rose from his chair. "I haven't the least idea, Bud. I don't know your friends."

"Your friend, Min." He came a step or two nearer.

She was frankly puzzled. Their social activities were as far apart as the poles. "A friend of mine?"

"I'll say a friend of yours, Min."

Bud's voice dropped insinuatingly. He took a step nearer his sister.

"Well?"

Already she knew what Bud was about to tell her. She grasped the knob of the door for support.

"Steve's back, Min. Old Steve—he's back!"

(To be continued.)

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INQUEST ON TEACHER'S FATAL MISHAP

The relationship between Kwok Hung-ki, a young salesman employed by Messrs. Goeke and Co., Yeung Wai-lee, the school teacher who died as the result of an accident on March 11, and her younger sister Yeung Wai-yuk, were investigated by Mr. Schofield and a Coroner's jury, at the continued inquest at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo is appearing in the interests of Kwok Hung-ki, the alleged driver of the car, who is at present on trial on two charges alleging the theft by bailor of a car from a rent collector, and obtaining \$1,000 by a forged cheque at the American Express Company.

Mr. R. A. Wadson is holding a watching brief on behalf of Mr. Li Yee, owner of the car involved in the smash.

The jury empanelled comprised Messrs. C. F. Andrews, (foreman), Wong Ping-kwan, and Teol Nai-shing.

Mr. Tai Hon-nam, Manager of the Tai On Accident and Insurance Co., Ltd., deposed to Kwok Hung-ki taking out a policy for \$5,000 against personal accident. He paid the premium of \$60 per annum on March 2.

Replying to the Coroner, on a question suggested by Traffic Inspector C. F. Alexander, the witness said that even if the policy holder died within a few weeks of taking out the insurance, his or her next-of-kin would be entitled to the full sum.

The Coroner—What would happen if the policy holder lost an eye or a leg or suffered other personal injury within the first few weeks?—The money payable would be half the face value of the policy. Witness added that Kwok had been introduced by Chan Taim-shun, (a broker employed by witness) who had introduced many clients.

Injured Sister in Box.

Yeung Wai-yuk, 20, the school girl who has just recovered from her injuries sustained in the smash, was assisted to the witness box by her step-mother. Witness was provided with a seat from where she told her story to the Court.

She said she lived on the third floor of 1, Anton Street, with her father and step-mother. She had one younger brother and seven younger sisters. Deceased was 23 years of age and was her elder sister. Deceased was a teacher at the Yeung Chung School, Caine Road, and witness attended the Bellisio Girls School. She had known Kwok Hung-ki since December last year, having been introduced by a man named Mok. Neither witness nor her sister was engaged to be married and their friendship with Kwok was an ordinary acquaintance.

On witness's return with Kwok from a day's trip to Macao in January last year, they had a quarrel. She and her elder sister had heard rumours that Kwok had been speaking words about them which gave them offence.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, at this stage, drew the Court's attention to the fact that witness appeared to be reading something from her hand. His Worship investigated and found that what the witness held in her hand was only a photograph of her deceased sister.

Continuing, witness said that her quarrel with Kwok was of a serious nature. Her sister joined in the quarrel. Both girls often went to the Fiat Garage, where Kwok worked, and on each occasion they rebuked him. Between the day of the quarrel and the accident, she had not been for rides in Kwok's car. On February 15 Kwok telephoned and that same night she went and scolded him.

Kwok Married.

Replying to the Coroner, witness said she knew Kwok Hung-ki was married. She saw his wife when she paid a visit to his residence 367, Hennessy Road.

Coming to the day of the mishap, witness said that the day previous,

PEER GYNT

INTERESTING TALK BY REV. TRIBBECK

Henrik Ibsen's great dramatic work "Peer Gynt" formed the subject of a most interesting discourse given by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck to many members of St. Andrew's Club in the St. Andrew's Church Hall last night. The lecture was accompanied by musical selections from Greig's Peer Gynt Suite. "Peer Gynt" is a fantasy woven on the folklore of the author's own country, Norway.

Ibsen, said the lecturer, was born in 1828 and died in 1906. He was the world's greatest dramatist then but his works were not so well known as they deserved to be. Greig at first refused to compose the suite, but after reading the play "Peer Gynt" he saw its potentialities. The play was first performed in 1876 and it was understood by the Norwegians as an enterprise of national love and national institutions.

The play was later translated into English, German and French. "Peer Gynt," as a play, had five acts with 22 scenes, and this might be one of the reasons why it was not produced in England in full, except, may be, only in repertoires.

At the conclusion of the lecture, The Vicar (Rev. W. Walton Rogers) thanked Mr. Tribbeck for his entertaining evening. Referring to the play, the speaker said that Bernard Shaw was supposed to have based his works and teachings on Ibsen. He advised listeners to read the book.

March 10, Kwok telephoned that he would be coming the next day. On March 11 he called about noon. Her father was out at the time. She knew the car belonged to Li Lee, but she did not ask Kwok how he obtained the car that morning. Together with her sister all three sat in the front seat, with Kwok at the wheel. They drove to Aberdeen via Shauiwan. On reaching the incline at Shauiwan, the sisters again rebuked Kwok and they quarrelled for quite a distance.

"They stopped at Aberdeen for three-quarters of an hour. Kwok left the car for a while, and she and her sister remained, but later left to purchase something to eat. They returned to the car and ate there."

On Kwok's return he told them he was in a hurry to return to his shop. They sat as before—all three in the front seat. It appeared to her he drove in his usual satisfactory manner and no conversation was maintained between them. He started off, however, at 40 miles per hour. She ascertained this by looking at the speedometer and questioned him about it. He said nothing, and she again asked: "Why so fast? Better be careful." He then replied: "There is someone behind, chasing us." She looked back, but could see no other car on the road. She told him about it.

"Deliberate Act."

When they proceeded downhill, he had not relaxed the speed. Just before the crash they were taking a sharp left-hand bend. The next thing she recalled was being on the ground and she could feel she was amongst grass. She was able to raise herself into a sitting position and immediately felt a pain shooting through her right leg. She could still retain a notion of what happened, but started to wonder how she came to fall. She could remember having been in a car.

"My first impression," witness told the Court, "was that Kwok had deliberately injured us by precipitating us over the road."

She did not call for help, but beckoned to people to come to her assistance. She heard the noise of many people moving about. Then some men came up to her and carried her—whether she could not but could recall that she told them to be careful as there was that pain in her right leg. Not until some time after her admission to Hospital had full consciousness returned, and she then saw her sister lying on another bed.

The hearing at this stage was further adjourned.

THE LATE MR. R. J. STEVENS.

FUNERAL AT HAPPY VALLEY

The funeral of the late Mr. R. J. Stevens, of the Far East Aviation Company, who was recently killed in an aeroplane crash at Lushow, took place at Happy Valley yesterday evening.

In the large attendance were the Directors of the Far East Aviation Company and colleagues, representatives of the British Army and of both branches of the Royal Air Force, and representatives of the Chinese National Government, National Army, the Kwangsi Government, and the Kwangsi Air Force.

The remains were encased in a costly Chinese coffin, which was draped with the Union Jack. The Rev. N. V. Halward read the services at the graveside.

Present were the bereaved widow, Mrs. R. J. Stevens and mother-in-law, Mrs. de Biere; Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, Chairman of Directors of the Far Eastern Aviation Co.; Messrs. D. H. Stevens; A. V. Harvey, A. Ritchie, and D. S. Scott (Directors); H. A. Howes, D. J. Lewis, E. M. Hazeland, and N. V. A. Croucher; General Lam Wai-shing, Commandant of the Kwangsi Air Force representing also the Chinese National Government and Kwangsi Government; Flight Captains Dang Yuk-kenn and Ma Sze-yin, of the Kwangsi Air Force; Squadron Leader Woods and other members of the Royal Naval Air Force, members of the Royal Air Force; representatives of the British Army and a number of other civilians, including some ladies.

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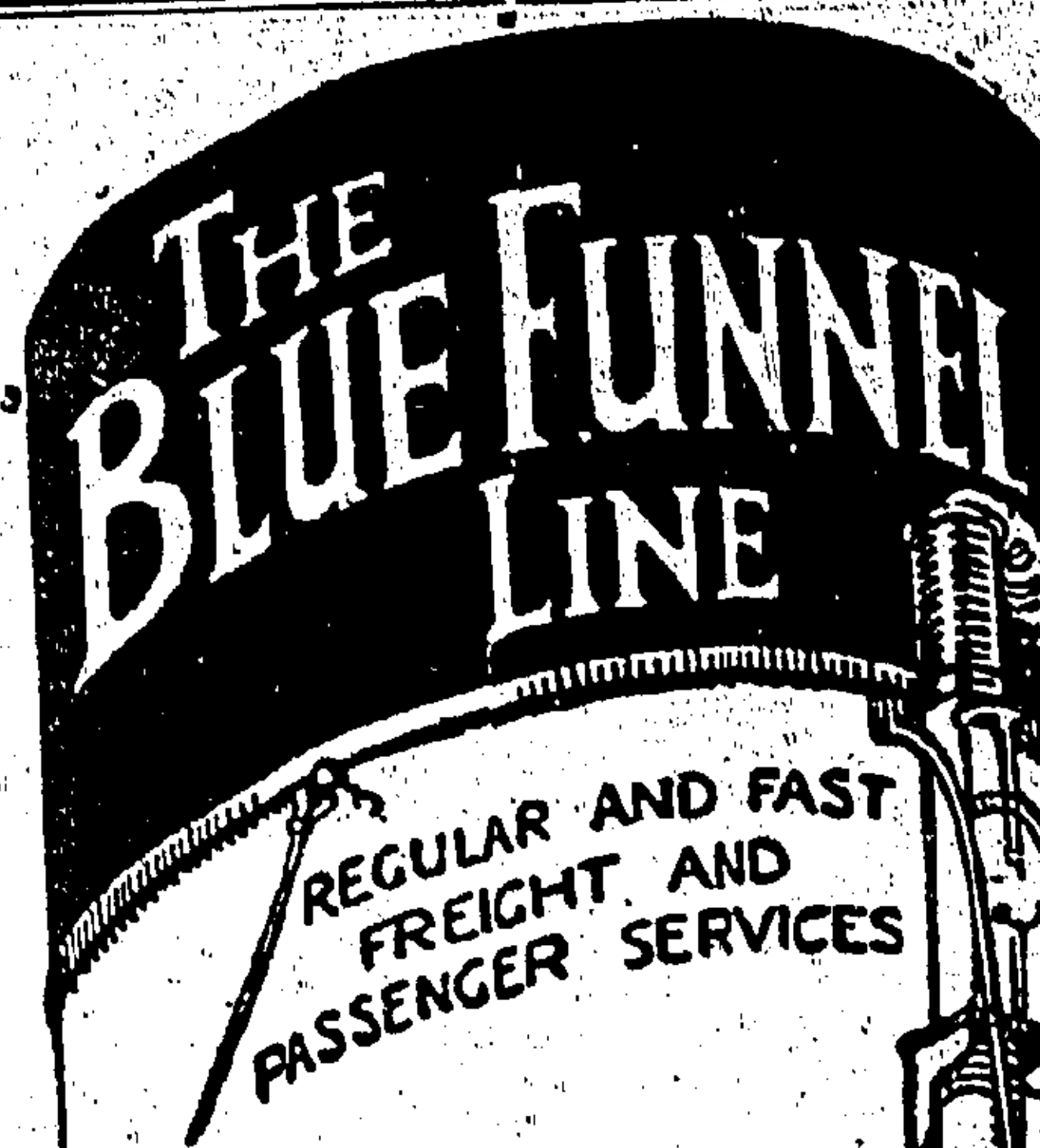
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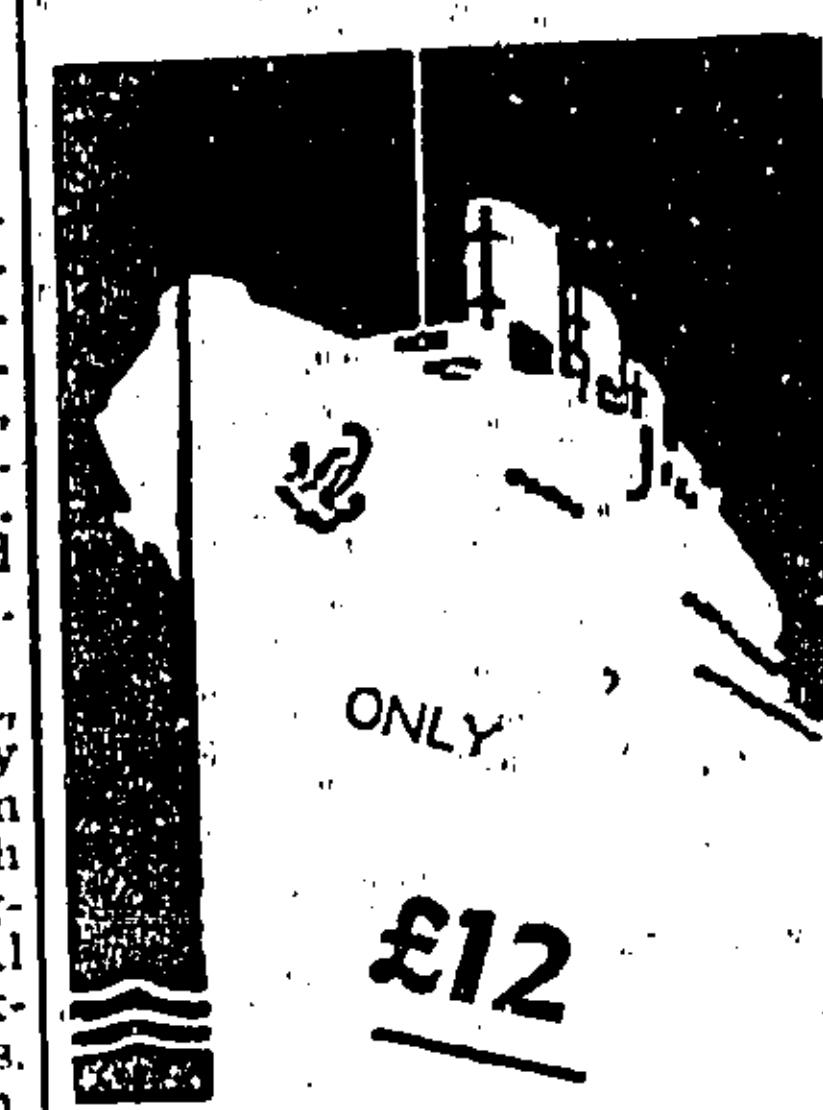
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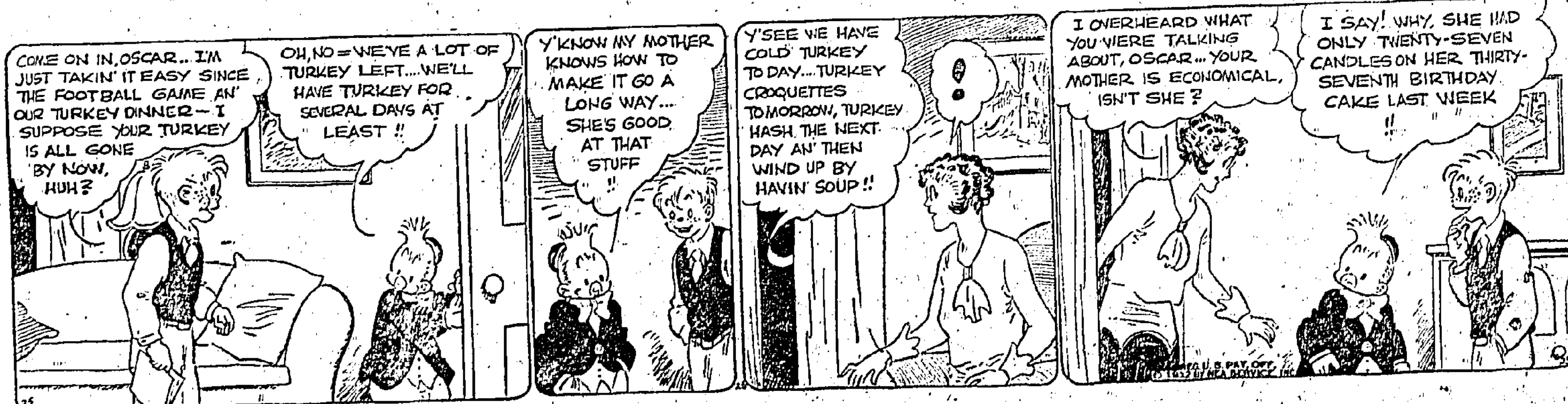
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HYDRAULIC WORK CONTRACTS

The Hague, April 10. Following an exchange of Notes between the Chinese and the Netherlands Government through the Dutch Legation at Peking, it has been agreed that part of the Dutch share of the Boxer Indemnity is to be used for hydraulic contracts in China and part for the creation of fund for the promotion of cultural relations between the two countries.

Holland's recently announced remission of her share of the indemnity is retroactive to January 1926.—Reuter.

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KING YACHT AT COWES

London, April 10. The King's racing yacht "Britannia" took the water again to-day at Cowes after her winter overhaul.

The yacht will compete at all first-class regattas this season and will make her first appearance at Harwich on 27th May.—British Wireless.

CHINA'S RAILWAYS

M.P.'S PROPOSAL REJECTED

MAKING POSITION WORSE

London, Apr. 10. Chinese railway purchases in England were the subject of questions in the House of Commons to-day.

Mr. J. S. Wardlaw Milne asked whether Sir John Simon was prepared to make representations to the Chinese Government in favour of restricting advances to the Chinese railways out of the Boxer Indemnity Fund; British share, to such railways as had made definite arrangements for the liquidation of past loans.

Sir John Simon pointed out that the rehabilitation and completion of the existing railways would tend to increase the revenue of such railways and thus improve the position of the bondholders of loans already secured on these railways.

UN SOUND POLICY.

On the other hand, the policy suggested by Mr. Wardlaw Milne might have the contrary effect through making it impossible for a particular railway to receive an

WANCHAI RAIDS BY POLICE

BROTHEL KEEPERS ARRESTED

Police raiding sly houses in the Wanchai district last night, were compelled to use an axe on a wooden door, which was too solid for a shoulder charge. Raids were carried out in Amoy Street, Lee Tung Street, Tai Wong Street and Stone Nullah Lane. Four women keepers were arrested and brought before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning.

Detective-Inspector Baker stated that in one instance on previous occasion the Europeans had been locked in the house.

One woman, who admitted a previous conviction, was fined \$300 or four months' hard labour, while a fine of \$100 or two months was imposed on each of the other three defendants.

A memorial service to the late Sir Claud Severn, whose death was announced yesterday will be held in St. John's Cathedral to-morrow, commencing at 5.15 p.m. His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, will be amongst those present.

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